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NEWS SUMMARY

WASHINGTON.

According to advices at the capital the sectional issue raised by J. C. Caldwell will not prevent re-election of Senator Scott.—Page 10.

In the senate debate on the Philippine bill, Senator Lodge fired the first great gun in defense of the army and of the administration.—Page 1.

DOMESTIC.

Lord Kelvin receives honorary degree of doctor of laws at special assembly held in Battelle chapel at Yale university.—Page 4.

Foreign prices of iron and steel are so high that American consumers will have to depend upon the home market.—Page 12.

Archbishop Corrigan of New York is dead.—Page 1.

Defendant companies and individuals in merger suit brought by Attorney General Knox file their answers at St. Paul.—Page 3.

Federation of Women's clubs in convention at Los Angeles adopts New York compromise, which practically bars colored women from the organization.—Page 2.

FOREIGN.

Queen Wilhelmina is resting easier.—Page 2.

Revolutionists have overthrown the capital of San Domingo.—Page 3.

The Cuban congress holds its first session.—Page 3.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Judge Pennypacker's friends will open headquarters in Philadelphia today.—Page 1.

A New Kensington merchant is fatally burned while rescuing his children from a burning house.—Page 3.

A horse and lambs are daubed with paint by Westminster college students.—Page 3.

Six men are wounded during Sunday fights in Fayette county.—Page 3.

LOCAL.

President Charles M. Schwab, J. Pierpont Morgan, W. E. Corey, and perhaps John W. Gates will be here on Thursday to inspect local plants of the United States Steel Corporation, and their visit may result in big improvements at mills in this vicinity.—Page 1.

The congestion on Pittsburgh's downtown streets is rapidly becoming a serious problem, and the only way out of it seems to be to do away with surface car lines.—Page 1.

Beef trust is still holding the prices of dressed meats at same mark, although the price of live stock has declined to a marked degree.—Page 7.

The Fuller syndicate's victory in having the sale of the Western Maryland ratified by Baltimore councils means that Pittsburgh is to have another through transcontinental trunk line.—Page 14.

Pennsylvania railroad plans new passenger facilities as well as freight terminals on property now being secured in East End, and will bridge the Allegheny river near Brilliant to connect with West Penn and Allegheny Valley divisions.—Page 6.

The annual meeting of the Philadelphia Company was held yesterday, and despite the enormous increase in gross earnings, the net increase was slight, and the burden of the securities necessitated by the recent traction merger being clearly shown.—Page 5.

The councilmanic committee that is investigating the water supply of the city will turn its attention to three private water concerns that are supplying some parts of the city, complaints having been made as to the quality and quantity of the fluid furnished.—Page 7.

August A. Ammon and his wife died within twelve hours of one another, Mr. Ammon in the West Penn hospital, and his wife in a Philadelphia institution.—Page 6.

The dogcatcher's wagon will make its first tour of the season this morning.—Page 7.

The decision of Judge Buffington in the case of the Carnegie Company versus the Cambria Iron Company to restrain the latter from using a patent mixer was sustained by a decision handed down by the United States supreme court.—Page 2.

LEGAL.

Two Italians pleaded guilty to charge of circulating counterfeit money in Wilkinsburg.—Page 14.

Many minor cases taken up in criminal court and pleas of guilty entered.—Page 14.

A number of register assessors fail to take out books on last day.—Page 14.

SOCIAL.

The Columbian Council of Jewish Women yesterday held its annual election of officers.—Page 7.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Jean Bryce, only daughter of Andrew Bryce, and Charles H. Kincaid, which will take place on May 20 in the First United Presbyterian church, Oakland.—Page 7.

Mr. Percy C. Hamilton gave a theater party last evening at the Alvin in honor of Miss Adele Rafter, the leading soprano with the Bostonians, who is spending the week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton in Shadyside.—Page 7.

SPORTING.

The Pirates took another game from Cincinnati without much trouble.—Page 8.

American league lawyers are trying to have the Pennsylvania courts allow Lajoie and other jumpers continue with that league.—Page 8.

H. C. Frick and other steel kings contribute to the Schenley park athletic meet fund.—Page 9.

The Morris Park winners were Prince of Melrose, Old Lady, Stranger, The Referee, Fred Ackerman and Dixieline.—Page 9.

The winners at Louisville were Premus, Lyman, Alyor, Glenwater, Mary Laraus and M. F. Tarpey.—Page 9.

FINANCIAL.

Pittsburgh bank exchanges for yesterday were more than $140,000 larger than for the same day last year.—Page 13.

The market on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday was quite active, but very irregular, prices shifting sharply. The close was steadier.—Page 13.

Losses in Wall street as result of announcement of several failures reduced by fair buying to insignificant proportions.—Page 12.

On account of heavy rains in wheat growing states the price at Chicago yields readily, other grains following.—Page 12.

Difficulties of the Webb-Meyer syndicate caused the failure of three Wall street brokerage houses.—Page 2.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—The Bostonians in "Maid Marian," 8:15 p. m.
GRAND—Stock Company in "Don Caesar de Bazan," 2 and 8 p. m.
BIJOU—"A Jolly American Tramp," 8:15 p. m.
EMPIRE—"Fiddle Dee Dee," 8:15 p. m.
DUQUESNE—"The Telephone Girl," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
ACADEMY—The Merry Maidens Company, 2 and 8 p. m.
DUQUESNE GARDEN—Pittsburgh orchestra popular concert.

ANGEL OF DEATH QUICKLY CLAIMS THE ARCHBISHOP

A Weak Heart Hastens Departure of Most Rev. M. A. Corrigan.

END PAINLESS AND A SURPRISE

Passes Away Before Physician Could Respond to the Nurse's Summons.

INTELLECT CLEAR IN SPITE OF LETHARGY

Illness Began With an Accident Suffered in February—Pneumonia and Other Complications Set In—Career of a Prelate Who Rose Rapidly.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—The Most Rev. Michael Augustine Corrigan, archbishop of the metropolitan see of New York, died in his residence at 11:05 o'clock tonight.

While he had been ill for several days, having caught a severe cold on a recent visit to Washington to attend a meeting of the council of the Catholic university, which attack developed into pneumonia on his return to this city, there had been no alarming symptoms for the last few days, and his death was a surprise to the entire household. He had been in something of a lethargic condition during the last 48 hours, and those who knew him best were surprised that he showed so little interest in worldly affairs. He was very weak, but all the time he was in complete possession of his senses, and there seemed no reason to believe that he would not rally and recover. To such an extent went this belief that none of the attending physicians were in the house when the end came.

Father Curley, the archbishop's secretary, sat with him most of the evening, chatting now and then when the archbishop wished to converse. Others of the household were present.

Sudden Change for the Worse.

Soon after 10:30 o'clock they were disheartened by a decided change in the patient. There was no evidence of pain, but the archbishop, without a struggle, seemed to sink in a deep coma, just as if he were failing into sleep. There was no indication that he was in pain, and before this he had been in good spirits.

At once a messenger was sent to Dr. Keyes and the members of the archbishop's household were summoned. So, too, were his brothers, Father George Corrigan, in charge of a church in Newark, N. J., and Dr. Corrigan, a practicing physician in Florida, who had come to this city when the archbishop's condition first became serious. With his brothers at each side of the bed, holding the hands of the dying prelate, Father Lavelle, rector of the cathedral, read the prayers of the church for the dying, while the others wept silently. Not a word did the archbishop utter; the end was as peaceful and as easy as if he were, indeed, asleep.

Ten minutes after the end came Dr. Keyes reached the house. He was amazed that death had come so swiftly, and after an examination he said that it was due to heart failure, to excessive weakness and a failure to rally from the ravages of pneumonia. He said also that there was an obvious tendency to fatty degeneration of the heart.

Accident Began the Illness.

The illness really dated from the end of February, when, in going through the Kelly memorial chapel, in course of construction at the rear of the cathedral, he fell between some beams, and to keep himself from falling to the floor below he had to hold himself up by the armpits. The strain was very great, and before he recovered from the effects of the accident he was attacked by pneumonia.

Archbishop Corrigan was born in Newark, N. J., August 13, 1839. His parents were in comfortable circumstances. Both his father and mother, Thomas and Mary English Corrigan, were natives of Leitrim, Ireland, and came to America when very young. At an early age Michael Augustine was sent to St. Mary's college, Wilmington, Del. After a stay of two years in this college he was sent to Mount St. Mary's college, Emmittsburgh, Md. From the outset he took the lead in his classes. In 1859 he completed his course of studies at Emmittsburg.

Shortly afterward, the desire to enter the priesthood, which he had entertained for several years, took the form of a resolution, and he sailed for Europe with the intention of entering the American college in Rome. He was one of the 12 students with whom the college was opened. He was ordained priest by Cardinal Patrizi, in the Lateran Basilica in 1863, a year before the close of his theological studies, as a reward for his excellent conduct in the college.

New Honors for the Priest.

During Archbishop's Bayley's stay in Rome in 1870, as a member of the Vatican council, Father Corrigan occupied the offices of administrator and vicar general of the diocese.

Early in 1873, Archbishop Bayley was transferred to the see of Baltimore, the oldest Catholic diocese in the United States, becoming primate of America, and in March of the same year, on the earnest recommendation of Archbishop Bayley, the late Pope Pius IX. appointed Dr. Corrigan bishop of Newark. He was consecrated on May 4 in the same year.

On September 29, 1880, Pope Leo XIII. elevated Bishop Corrigan to the rank of coadjutor archbishop of the diocese of New York, with the right of succession to the late Cardinal McCloskey, which was regarded by Catholics as the crowning event in an ecclesiastical life of unexampled success. When Cardinal McCloskey died, Coadjutor Archbishop Corrigan naturally became his successor, took possession of the vacant see and ascended the archepiscopal throne.

The funeral services will be held at the cathedral on Friday morning at 10:30. The remains will be buried in the crypt of the cathedral.

Kansas Missions Destroyed.

ABILINE, KAS., May 5.—A cablegram from Calcutta, India, says all the mission houses occupied by the Kansas missionaries there were destroyed by last week's storm. The Kansans escaped.

Steel Kings Who Will Be In Pittsburgh This Week

J. PIERPONT MORGAN.

CHARLES M. SCHWAB.

W. E. COREY.

CONGESTION OF TRAFFIC GREAT IN PITTSBURGH

Street Cars, Wagons and Pedestrians Demand More Room.

SURFACE ROADS MUST BE REMOVED

A wheel fell from a heavy wagon as it turned from Liberty avenue into Smithfield street yesterday morning. Neither wheel nor axle was injured, so it required only a few minutes to raise the wagon and replace the wheel. Yet before that vehicle could be moved both Liberty and Smithfield, for a distance of two squares, were packed with street cars, drays and carriages. The thoroughfares of Pittsburgh are congested with traffic to a degree hardly less than that prevailing on the railroads.

During yesterday the progress of pedestrians was impeded by the collision of umbrellas. Every day the people on the walks bump and jostle each other in the effort to get on. They mass at the crossings while street traffic is moving quite as rapidly as the latter when a wagon breaks down.

Except upon rare occasions street cars are crowded to their standing capacity. At certain hours of the day they are loaded beyond their limit, though hungry workpeople crowd on the corners waiting for a chance to stand or even hang on to a rear platform. There is congestion t most distressing degree on the trolley roads, making the ride home from work or business terribly slow, as well as uncomfortable. The delays from cars stopping at almost every corner and waiting for passengers to dig their way out of the mass add materially to the time required for residents in the outer districts to get home.

Congestion Everywhere.

Every renting agent in the city reports a shortage of houses to accommodate the increased population, drawn here by the expansion of Pittsburgh industries. This condition has been notable for more than two years, and rents have advanced. There is congestion of population. The manager of the rent department of a prominent real estate concern says that 10,000 additional dwellings would not more than have met this spring's demand.

The railroads, warehouses, factories and office buildings are crowding out the dwellings along the rivers and in the downtown triangle. More room is needed to handle and store the enormous tonnage, as has been shown in the articles on freight congestion; more room is needed in which to transact this growing business. These movements will send more population out toward the boundaries and increase the congestion upon the trolley roads, already overburdened.

The crowded condition of the streets and the hurry of people delayed by slow transit have been responsible for numerous accidents. The record for a year past is enough to claim the attention of the thoughtful. The number of coroner's cases in Allegheny county is out of proportion as compared with other centers of population. The surgical wards of the hospitals are congested.

Transfer men and teamsters suffer from the crowded condition of the streets in addition to the delays at freight depots, where cars are found in inaccessible positions. They complain that further occupation of the highways will produce a blockade. They are compelled to get off the track for the numerous traction cars that are endeavoring to give the people reasonable service. Even the alleys are overrun with traffic to the jeopardy of pedestrians' limbs and the welfare of vehicles.

Remedies for Street Congestion.

Concerning the remedies for the downtown congestion, a business man said: "The first necessity of this city is for elevated or underground railroads or both. Surface traffic is beyond the limit of safety and efficiency. Business is bound to completely occupy this part of the city and residence must be in the outer wards. The traction roads are not equal to present demands for rapid transit, and the future is crying for better facilities. The mass of people need to live within a half-hour of their work at a single 5-cent fare. Underground and elevated railroads only can bring the available residence districts that near to the business center. Their operation would relieve the streets in a measure of excess traffic. The remainder may be accomplished by widening some streets, cutting down Grant hill and making the other improvements so long talked about but never begun."

Another gentleman said: "There is hope for Pittsburgh since the people have begun to take control of their own affairs. It will cost something to make improvements necessary to the future growth of the city, but some of this may be provided for by proper economies and the cutting off of useless expenditures. The situation calls for intelligent statesmanship and a broad policy. Reform does not mean stopping the wheels of progress or obstructing every movement for the benefit of the city."

PENNYPACKER'S FRIENDS TO OPEN HEADQUARTERS

A Week of Important Developments in the Gubernatorial Situation Promised. Quay Silent, but Busy.

By CHESTER D. POTTER,
Staff Correspondent.

Philadelphia, May 5.—Judge Pennypacker's friends will open headquarters in his interest tomorrow. The entire second floor of the Union Republican club has been engaged, and J. Hampton Moore, city treasurer, will have charge. The boom for the eminent jurist is on in earnest.

The Gazette correspondent is informed by competent authority that this is to be a week of important developments in the gubernatorial situation. It is predicted that within a week the Elkin movement will have good reason to dissolve.

State Senator David Martin in an interview tonight eulogizes Judge Pennypacker and urges his nomination in the interest of harmony and party success. Samuel M. Clement, Jr., chairman of the Union party city committee, which made a strong showing at the fall election, said today:

"Judge Pennypacker embodies those essentials for which all friends of good government have been striving. He would make an ideal governor and should command the support of the independent Republicans, and if they do not rally to his support they will demonstrate a lack of sincerity fatal to further effort on their part."

Senator David Martin said: "Judge Pennypacker would prove a popular candidate for governor and his nomination by the Republican state convention certainly will insure the ticket the hearty support of all Republicans in this city, where the judge is known and respected for his integrity and ability. I have known him intimately for 16 or 18 years, and have no doubt that he would as governor of Pennsylvania be as just to the people and their interests as he has been as a judge."

Those in a position to know say Montgomery county's Republican convention tomorrow will instruct for Pennypacker. Bucks county will follow suit and the ball will be kept in motion. Some important changes also are expected in counties where the delegates have declared, without instructions, for Attorney General Elkin. Col. Quay has not been talking recently and his friends say much has happened during his period of silence which will be made apparent in a few days. The senator is never idle when silent, and those who best know him say that taciturnity on his part is a sign of "trouble" for the "other fellow."

While it seems to be agreed that ex-Senator William M. Brown will be nominated for lieutenant governor, in case Pennypacker is nominated for governor, there is much uncertainty as to third place. It is conceded that the shift of program puts Gen. Schall of Montgomery out of the running for secretary of internal affairs, but who will be favored is not yet known. A western man will get the place.

WERE UNINSTRUCTED.

Republican County Convention at Franklin Nominates a Ticket.

FRANKLIN, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—There was a large attendance and perfect harmony at the Republican county convention held here today. P. M. Speer of Oil City, O. H. Parsons of Franklin and A. R. Newton of Emlenton were nominated for delegates to the state convention, and they go uninstructed, although believed to be friendly to Sibley. Joseph C. Sibley for congress, Col. W. J. Hultings for the state senate and Marshall Phipps for prothonotary were unanimously declared the nominees for these offices. Dr. G. W. Magee of Oil City and B. H. Osborne of Franklin were nominated for assembly on the first ballot.

D. K. Buchanan was nominated on the first ballot for register and recorder. For county treasurer the contest was close. J. R. Steele of Oil City received the nomination on the third ballot. There were 17 candidates for the two nominations for county commissioner, but the long balloting resulted in the nomination of C. W. Shaner and John Irwin.

STEEL COMBINE'S HIGH OFFICIALS COMING HERE

J. Pierpont Morgan and President C. M. Schwab Will Head Party.

ARRIVE THURSDAY TO INSPECT PLANTS

J. Pierpont Morgan, Charles M. Schwab, W. E. Corey and possibly John W. Gates will inspect the properties of the United States Steel Corporation in Braddock, Homestead and Duquesne this week. They will reach Braddock on Thursday morning, and probably not complete their visit until Saturday. Great preparations are being made for them. Orders were issued yesterday to clean up everywhere. The works in Homestead and Braddock are in good condition, but the Duquesne plant looks badly, principally because it is old.

This will be the first inspection of the plants since the formation of the great steel company. It is principally because of the contemplated changes and improvements. Of the new bond issue soon to be created about $20,000,000 will be applied to improvements, extensions and the application of newer and more improved machinery for the cheaper and more advantageous production of steel.

Two furnaces are contemplated at Duquesne and much new machinery will have to replace that which is obsolete. The success of Andrew Carnegie was based on the most advanced machinery and methods, and this will be followed out by the steel combination. The Homestead plant is in good working condition, but the armor plate plant is being doubled in capacity at an expense of $5,500,000. This has never been seen by any of the higher officials.

Some action is probable on the immense tube works that have been talked of for Neville island, McKeesport, Conneaut and other places before the steel magnates turn their faces eastward. McKeesport will not be behind in presenting her claims for recognition.

ANOTHER OFFICER LEAVES

General Sales Agent of Pressed Steel Car Company Goes to Its New Rival.

James B. Brady, who until recently was general sales agent with New York headquarters for the Pressed Steel Car Company, has been appointed to the same office for the new rival concern, the Standard Steel Car Company. New York offices have been opened for the new company in the Malden Lane-Broadway building.

Father Pitt—"My But This Place Is Crowded."

FIRST BIG GUN IN DEFENSE OF AMERICAN ARMY

Senator Lodge Declares Cruelties Were Sporadic, Were Sometimes Justifiable, and Were Provoked by Barbarities.

THRILLING REBUKE AGAINST POLITICAL CAPITAL MAKING

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—"Let us be just to the American army."

"It is not a Republican army."

"It is not a Democratic army."

"It is our army."

In these four crisp sentences Senator Lodge sounded the keynote of the administration's reply to the persistent attacks the Democrats are making upon the Philippine government bill, now pending in the senate. It was the first big gun the administration has fired in defense of its Philippine policy, and Senator Lidge fully sustained his reputation as a forcible and impressive debater. The occupants of the galleries encouraged him with generous applause.

Senator Lodge spent no time in trying to deny that cruelties and atrocities have been committed by American soldiers in the Philippines. He asserted that the Democrats and those who encouraged them in their arraignment of the administration's policy in the Philippines had exaggerated the charges made against the officers and men who are struggling to put down the insurrection in those islands.

Cruelties Sometimes Justifiable.

In an impassioned manner he recalled incidents in the speeches of Senator Carmack of Tennessee and Rawlins of Utah in which those gentlemen had related some harrowing cruelties inflicted upon the Filipinos by the American troops. These charges he met by the bold statement that in many instances the cruelties complained of were justifiable under the circumstances. He argued that cruelties in war were not infrequent, and quoted from ancient and modern history to justify the course of the American army.

The army had been victorious and in the Philippines it now meets the same abuse the union army met after Appomattox. Chaffee, like Grant, is called a "butcher." The country had been told that the alleged barbarities in the Philippines were the most horrible in history. "Towns had been burned," said Mr. Lodge, "in the course of this war; towns had been burned in the course of every war, and while such cases are to be deplored, they were incidents of war. In the speeches of the minority," he said, "women and children had been slaughtered by myriads, but there was not in the records an authenticated case of the killing of women or children traceable to the American soldiers."

Gov. Taft Defended.

He strongly defended Gov. Taft and his civilian associates and mentioned the personal sacrifices many of those gentlemen are making to carry out a great work in that far-off land. It was his defense of the army which appealed to those who sat about him, and he utilized his best efforts in that direction. He accused the Democrats of attempting to make a football of the army for political advantage.

Mr. Lodge warmly resented the imputations cast upon the president, the secretary of war and the army for the alleged cruelties. He said every effort had been employed by the officials in authority to prevent such cruelties as had been referred to, and measures had been taken to punish those guilty of them. He had no defense to make of many of the cases of torture which had been cited, but the men of the American army had been provoked almost beyond human endurance.

He recited scores of instances of cruelties and tortures practiced by the Filipino insurgents upon American prisoners. Men had their ears cut off; had been shockingly mutilated; had been driven into streams, and, while drowning, shot to death; had been tied to trees and stoned to death by women and children, and buried alive. Others had been shot and boloed treacherously while succoring the wounded.

Assassination of Friendly Nations.

In the face of these horrible atrocities, some of the American troops had been guilty of administering the "water cure," but the instances of this kind were isolated and no part of the general policy in the Philippines. He pointed out that 67 municipal officers friendly to the Americans had been assassinated, and 40 had been assaulted and mutilated.

"We are told that we had no friends among the Filipinos," said the senator. "Apparently the insurgents thought there were enough friends to make up that awful roll of assassination. I have heard torrents of sympathy for the insurgents fighting against the flag and the authority of the United States, but not one word of sympathy for the Filipinos, men of the same race, who are friendly to us and who asked only to live in peace beneath our flag. Their lives were as dear to them as those Filipinos who were aiding the insurgents, and they were our friends. There are more of them there, and I say that whatever else may be true or false, if we get out of those islands and leave these friendly Filipinos to fates like that, we are unworthy of the name of a great nation."

Plenty of Provocation.

"When we condemn Waller for shooting treacherous guides; when we think of that little band of his that struggled through the wilderness of Samar, where no Spaniard had ever gone, and came out on the other side, delirious with sufferings, so that he was reported, when he first reached Manila, to be out of his mind—let us remember the circumstances ere we condemn.

"Ah, Mr. President, these are the things that have hardened their hearts and made them feel that there is treachery among them. There is but one testimony as to their treatment of the friendly natives. Soldiers and officers alike treated them as we should expect Americans to treat people of that kind, generously and humanely. I want justice done to the American army. I want the country to know when it reads of cruelties to hostile Filipinos what our men have suffered and endured.

"The scheme has been to raise this cry of cruelty in the Philippines in order to make it react upon the party in power. The American army ought not to be subject to experiments like that. It is not made to be the football of politics, and what it does or does not do, ought not to be used to raise up or pull down any political party.

"When justice is done; when the guilty have been punished of proved offences; when the whole story has been made up, I believe that after all that has been said and all the denunciation that has been heaped upon our troops and our officers has fallen into silence, we shall find that in the history of the country the record of that army, gleaming with victories from Trenton to Manila, will shine brightly in the annals of the republic when those who villify it are but noteless blots on a remembered name."

In a brief reply Mr. Rawlins of Utah declared that the charges which had been made were not against Gen. Chaffee or the American army, but against the senator from Massachusetts (Mr. Lodge) and others who were responsible for the present Philippine policy.

GEN. LOUIS WAGNER'S SON BADLY WOUNDED

One of the Victims of the Bloody Battle With the Moros—Chaffee Cables Casualty List.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—Gen. Chaffee has cabled the war department the following list of casualities at the battle of Bayan, Mindanao, May 2, which was described in his dispatches made public yesterday:

Killed.

First Lieut. Thomas A. Vickers, Twenty-seventh United States infantry.

Privates James J. McGrath, Company F, Twenty-seventh infantry; William Lowry, Charles Reynolds and John Langdon, Company G, Twenty-seventh infantry; Alfred J. Callahan, Frederick Cornell and Corporal Michael Golden.

Wounded.

R. S. Porter, major and surgeon, wounded in thigh, serious; Capt. James T. Moore, wounded in head, serious; Second Lieut. Albert L. Jonsman, lung, severe; First Lieut. Henry S. Wagner, leg and wounded in abdomen, serious; Sergt. John Wheaton, Company F, Twenty-seventh infantry, wounded in thigh, serious; Sergt. Eugene L. Moriarthy, wounded in thigh, serious; Corporal Henry G. Millington, moderately; Frank A. Perry, lung, severely; Cook John Brady, wounded in shoulder, serious; Arthur Smith, lung, severe; Walter E. Cammers, arm, severe; Everett E. Marsh, wounded in leg above knee, moderate; Charley Cobb, wounded in arm, serious; Floyd Croft, wounded in leg above knee, moderate; Robert McCormack, severely; Edward W. Blair, Company H, Twenty-seventh infantry, injured in arms, serious; John O'Connell, shoulder and wounded in thigh, serious; Quartermaster Sergt. George J. Beasley, Company K, Twenty-seventh infantry, knee, slight; William H. Bingan, wounded in thigh, serious; William Brown wounded in leg above knee, serious; George Decare, Company G, Twenty-seventh infantry, wounded in leg above knee, serious; John Sullivan, wounded in hand, slight; William R. Winn, wounded in arm, moderate; Joseph A. Adams, face, slight; Battalion Sergt. Maj. Albert H. Ingold, elbow, severe; Otto P. Avick, wounded in hand, moderate; Claude Damon, wounded in leg above knee, moderate; Walter H. Eldridge, wounded in foot, slight; James P. Smith, wounded in knee, slight; Fred Cross, wounded in hand, moderate; John Daley, wounded in arms, serious; Sheridan Viola, wounded in hand, serious; Peter Sullivan, Company B, Twenty-seventh infantry, wounded in leg above knee, serious; Joseph Lyons, wounded in shoulder, serious; James J. Haley, mortally wounded, since died; Herbert Chatterton, wounded in leg above knee, slight; and six other enlisted men wounded, names not verified.

Brig.-Gen. George W. Davis says Lieut. Wagner's stomach may not be penetrated. He received serious wounds in the leg and abdomen. He is an aide on the staff of Gen. Davis, a son of Gen. Louis Wagner, who is a well-known citizen of Philadelphia, and an officer of the Third National bank of that city.

GARDENER'S CHARGES NAME ONE MAN ONLY

Secretary Gives a Copy to Senator Lodge—Proof That Aguinaldo Planned to Attack Manila.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—Secretary Root today furnished Senator Lodge a copy of the cable message received from Gen. Chaffee giving the text of the specifications filed by Maj. Gardener, civil governor of Tayabas, to sustain his general charge against the conduct of military affairs in that province. The only officer mentioned in these specifications is Lieut. George DeG. Catlin, Second infantry, son of I. S. Catlin, retired, of New York, now in this country under treatment for mental trouble.

Notice has been received of the conclusion of the court-martial of Gen. Smith, but nothing is known officially as the result.

The war department today made public the telegraphic correspondence that took place between Aguinaldo and his insurgent generals on January 18, 1899, to support the administration's contention that Aguinaldo at that date, before the present war broke out, contemplated an attack upon the United States troops at Manila. The publication takes the form of a photographic copy of two telegrams duly certified as being in the hands of the persons who signed them by Capt. E. H. Vanderman, Twenty-first infantry. Translated, these dispatches read as follows:

From Gen. Noriel and Col. Cailles:

To the President of the Republican Government, Malolos:

We desire to know the result of ultimatum which you mentioned in your telegram, and we also desire to know what reward our government is preparing for the forces who will first be able to enter Manila.

Reply in Aguinaldo's handwriting:

As to the contents of your telegram, those who prove themselves heroes will have as rewards large sums of money, lands, extraordinary promotions, crosses of blacke'sto, Medals of Malate, Ermita and Count of Manila, etc., besides the congratulations of our glorious country on account of their patriotism, and more if they capture the regiments with their generals, and, if possible, the chief of them all, who represents our future enemies in Manila which (let) fail to you, or, better said, to Gen. Noriel and Col. Cailles.

The ultimatum has not been sent, but will be within a few days.

Miners Boycott Beef Trust.

The striking miners of the Allegheny Valley, along with other trades organizations, forming the Allegheny Valley Central Council of the American Federation of Labor, have taken boycott measures against the meat trust. General Organizer Thomas H. Flynn of the Federation returned yesterday from a mass meeting at Avonne station, which he led and stated that resolutions to that effect had been passed.

THE CARNEGIE COMPANY WINS IMPORTANT CASE

Long-Fought Suit Over a Patent Right Has Been Finally Decided.

LOCAL JUDGE SUSTAINED

Supreme Court of the United States Decides That the Cambria Iron Company Has No Right to Use the Mixer Invented by Capt. Jones.

In an important patent suit of the Carnegie Company against the Cambria Iron Company the supreme court of the United States has reversed the United States circuit court of appeals of the western district of Pennsylvania, sustained Judge Joseph Buffington of the United States circuit court sitting in Pittsburgh and affirmed the Carnegie Company's possession of a patent of great value in the manufacture of Bessemer steel.

A number of years ago Capt. William R. Jones invented what is known as a mixer. This was patented and now has an important part in the making of Bessemer steel. The mixer consists of a huge vessel containing several tons of metal used to furnish charges of a uniform character for the Bessemer converter. The purpose of this is to avoid the rapid fluctuations of sulphur and other ingredients in the converter and make the product uniform. The patents were finally acquired by the Carnegie Company, while the rights to use them in Europe were sold to an English company.

In 1897 the Carnegie Company went into the United States circuit court of this district with a bill of equity against the Cambria Iron Company, alleging that the former's rights to the patent were being usurped by the defendant company. Testimony covering several thousand pages of typewritten matter was submitted to the court, among the witnesses who were heard being Andrew Carnegie. The case was finally argued before Judge Buffington, Attorney General P. C. Knox and Attorney Thomas Bakewell appearing for the Carnegie Company, and Attorney F. T. Chambers of Philadelphia, Attorney Dodge of Washington, D. C., and Attorney H. M. Kay of this city, representing the Cambria Iron Company. Judge Buffington in an opinion later sustained the patent and granted an injunction against the defendant company.

A year later, the Cambria Iron Company took an appeal from the lower court to the United States court of appeals at Philadelphia, which reversed the lower court, on the ground that no infringement had been shown.

Ordinarily a decision of this sort ends litigation, especially a patent case, but the Carnegie Company carried it to the supreme court of the United States, which body allowed the writ of certiorari and the case was reviewed. Application for the writ was made by former Speaker Thomas B. Reed, who ultimately became engaged in the case.

The whole case was heard anew. The entire testimony and the opinions of both lower courts were reviewed. The case was argued about two years ago, and the fact that the justices of that high bench ordered a reargument before its own body was evidence that the points at issue were of the greatest importance, such action being almost unprecedented. At this time Attorney General Knox was made a member of the cabinet, whereupon Speaker Reed took a more active part in the fight.

Word from Washington yesterday shows that the bench was divided on the case, five of the justices sustaining Judge Joseph Buffington, the chief justice and Associates White, Harlan and Brewer dissenting.

THE WEATHER.

Showers.

After two days of uninterrupted sunshine and fair weather, Old Probabilities has decided to take a reef in the sails of unalloyed pleasure and bring people to a realization that life is not altogether one sweet song. If the weather man's foresight is up to snuff, an umbrella will be a convenient thing to have around today, and young women who venture down town to gaze longingly into show windows had better come prepared for enough dampness to take the crimp out of unprotected curls at any rate. The local forecaster insists that the skies above Pittsburgh will be more than usually overcast today and that light showers will surely come this afternoon. The temperature is scheduled as stationary.

Time of sunrise today..... 4:55 a. m.
Time of sunset today..... 6:58 p. m.

Daily report for yesterday furnished by the United States weather bureau:

Time.	Bar.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.04	68	78	N.W.	Rain
8 p. m.	30.09	68	73	N.E.	Pt cldy

Comparative temperature and precipitation for the past six years:

Temperature,	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	78	81	68	84	67	77
Minimum	44	52	56	46	48	58
Mean	61	68	62	70	58	68
Precipitation	0	0	.12	.08	.01	0

Maximum temperature (2 p. m.)..... 74
Minimum temperature (7 a. m.)..... 55
Mean temperature..... 70
Normal temperature (for 31 years)..... 60
Excess in temperature for the day..... 10
Deficiency in temperature since May 1..... 61
Excess in temperature since Jan. 1..... 10
Normal precipitation (for 31 years)..... .11
Precipitation for the day..... .00
Deficiency in precipitation for the day..... .00
Excess in precipitation since May 1..... .08
Deficiency in precipitation since Jan. 1..1.03

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—Forecast for Tuesday and Wednesday:

Western Pennsylvania — Fair Tuesday; Wednesday probably showers; fresh northeast winds.

Ohio—Fair Tuesday, cooler in extreme south portion, probably showers at night or Wednesday; fresh northeast winds.

West Virginia—Fair, cooler Tuesday; Wednesday fair in east, probably showers in western portion; north to northeast winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Pittsburgh	68 Pt cldy	Chattanooga	84 Clear
Indianapolis	74 Clear	Memphis	92 Cloudy
Cincinnati	80 Clear	Vicksburg	90 Clear
Columbus	68 Cloudy	St. Louis	74 Pt cldy
Washington	80 Cloudy	New Orleans	76 Cloudy
Cairo	90 Clear	Norfolk	78 Pt cldy
Kansas City	76 Cloudy	Philadelphia	72 Pt cldy
Parkersburg	76 Clear	New York	68 Clear
Des Moines	56 Rain	Buffalo	56 Clear
Abilene	86 Cloudy	Portland	56 Clear
Marquette	66 Pt cldy	Calgary	60 Pt cldy
St. Paul	66 Cloudy	Qu Appelle	56 Pt cldy
Huron	50 Rain	Cheyenne	72 Clear
Helena	60 Clear	Denver	64 Clear
Bismarck	44 Rain	North Platte	56 Cloudy
Jacksville	76 Clear	Rapid City	44 Cloudy
Chicago	66 Clear	Omaha	60 Rain
Louisville	84 Clear		

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THREE BROKERAGE FIRMS GO UNDER

SUSPENSIONS CAUSED BY WEBB-MEYER TROUBLES.

Said to Owe from $2,000,000 to $5,000,000—Assets Unknown and Partially Worthless—Dr. W. Seward Webb Refuses to Come to the Rescue.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—In the crash of the Webb-Meyer syndicate three stock exchange firms were carried under today. Offenbach & Moore, the recognized brokerage firm of the syndicate, announced their suspension soon after the exchange opened, and, as a direct result, Henry Bros. & Co. and Lockwood, Hurd & Co. formally announced their assignments. These two firms acted as brokers for the Webb-Meyer syndicate. Each bought several thousand shares of the so-called Webb-Meyer stocks on Thursday and Friday of last week, for which they had given approximately $700,000. When they came to make delivery of the shares the firm, presumably Offenbach & Moore, was unable to pay.

The amount of these firms' joint liabilities is variously estimated at from $2,000,000 to $5,000,000; assets unknown, and in the opinion of good judges a goodly portion are of doubtful value.

All three firms expected that Dr. W. Seward Webb would come to their assistance today. At a conference which was held on Dr. Webb's arrival this morning he was informed that about $500,000 would be sufficient to effect a settlement. He refused to supply the funds. Thereupon arrangements for suspension, which were begun on Sunday, were completed.

The failures caused a general drop in prices on the exchange and a virtual straightening of prices on the curb in the stocks in which the Webb-Meyer pool is most interested. About 6,000 shares were sold under the rule for the account of the suspended firms.

Newspaper men found at Mr. Webb's office a young man who said he was the financier's private secretary. In answer to questions he said: "I think there is some slight intention on the part of Dr. Webb to give out a statement. He may give it out today or some other day. If he feels like giving it out to the public he will give it to the public; if he feels like giving it to some one else, he will give it to some one else. I think it a perfect outrage for you gentlemen to come into Dr. Webb's office. Dr. Webb has not been arrested, and I don't think he will be arrested. There is no restriction on his movements. Dr. Webb is gentleman who does whatever he pleases whenever he pleases, and in whatever manner he pleases."

Dr. Webb dined at his home and his conference with his friends was continued there tonight. Late tonight he said he could make no statement at present.

The slump in the Webb-Meyer curb stocks in New York is of interest to Pittsburgh, as the firm of Theodore S. Meyer & Co. has a branch office in Pittsburgh in the Bakewell building, started about two months ago. Oliver W. Rafferty, son of Gilbert Rafferty, and a broker named Rice are in charge of it. The firm of Theodore S. Meyer & Co. was not included in the brokerage firms that suspended in New York yesterday.

HAVE MET EVERY YEAR FOR JUST A CENTURY

The 100th Annual Meeting of the Second Presbyterian Church Was Held Last Night.

The annual meeting of the Second Presbyterian church at Penn avenue and Seventh street, of which the Rev. Dr. S. Edward Young is pastor, was held last night. It was the 100th annual meeting of the congregation. It was the largest meeting ever held, the congregation having grown rapidly during recent years.

After a song service lasting half an hour, conducted by B. Franklin Butts, the meeting was called to order by Edwin S. Gray and the Rev. James B. Ely of Philadelphia made a brief address. James M. Bailey was elected chairman, and Thomas D. Miller secretary of the meeting.

The reports from all of the departments of the church showed the work to be in the best possible condition. The trustees reported that the church is out of debt with a small balance. The net membership is over 1,400.

The members of the board of trustees, composed of W. F. McJunkin, Dr. J. H. Wright, R. P. Ramsey, Homer Wright and John Dunlap, was re-elected.

It was announced that plans for the redecoration and general renovation of the church had been made. The centennial celebration will be held in the fall.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the women of the church.

NEW LIFE AND DEATH AT SMALLPOX HOSPITAL

A Little Child Was Born There Last Night and the Mother Died.

Surrounded by all the evidences that are unavoidable in a place devoted to the extermination of a loathsome disease, its mother, father, brothers and sisters all stricken with smallpox, a little child, tainted with the sickness at its birth, drew its first breath in this world at the Municipal hospital shortly after 6 o'clock last night. The babe's first cry had hardly died away in the desolate room when the mother closed her eyes for the last time. Life and death were close neighbors and both were surrounded by stricken men, women and children, carrying on a desperate struggle between the two.

The child is the first ever born in the Municipal hospital and the mother's death is the first to occur from smallpox in this city for 10 years. The baby was born to Mrs. Lona Walker, a colored woman of No. 275 Frankstown avenue, who had been at the hospital since April 30, when she entered the place accompanied by two children. On May 3 William Walker, the husband and father, joined his family with two other children and was placed in quarantine.

The Rev. R. L. Stone, pastor of the West End Colored church, was sent for, and, in spite of the circumstances, he bravely consented to go to the hospital and see the woman before she died. It is probable that he will officiate at her funeral.

ORDINANCE READY TO BE PRESENTED

Committee Goes Over Rules That Are to Govern the Sinking Fund Commission.

Judge R. S. Frazer, Robert Pitcairn and George T. Oliver, a committee of the sinking fund commission; Recorder J. O. Brown, Controller John R. Larkin, John S. Lambie, president of select council and a representative of the city solicitor, met yesterday afternoon in the office of Recorder Brown to adopt an ordinance to govern the commission. The ordinance as prepared will go to the commission for approval and then to councils for passage.

The ordinance provides that at its regular meetings they are to receive from the treasurer a report of the moneys in his hands belonging to the different funds and to invest them in bonds; to take possession of the bonds now held by the Fidelity Title and Trust Company, to collect interest and to in every way care for the funds, making reports to council whenever called upon to do so.

A section provides for the keeping of the separate funds and that they shall only be used for the trusts to which they belong. The kinds of bonds and the manner of their purchase is provided for. The limit of expenses for clerk hire and other incidentals is set at $2,000.

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RULES OF VOTING CONTEST.

Ballots must be filled out with full name of teacher, school where employed, town and county; those of each series must be sent in before midnight of the 15th and last day of each month. The party will be composed of 25 teachers; 12 from Pittsburgh and Allegheny, 6 from Allegheny county outside the cities and 7 from outside of Allegheny county. All expenses will be borne by The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph and each member of the party will receive $50 in cash. The tour will occupy more than six weeks and cover the most interesting portions of England, Scotland, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Switzerland and France. Contest closes May 31.

HOLLAND'S QUEEN RESTING EASIER

REASSURING BULLETIN IS ISSUED FROM CASTLE LOO.

Life Was Hanging by a Narrow Thread During the Critical Operation of Sunday Night—Condition Still Remains Precarious.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

THE HAGUE, May 5.—The evening passed quietly at Loo palace, but Drs. Roessingh and Pot have remained at Queen Wilhelmina's bedside. Baron Cliffford, master of the queen's household, said tonight:

"Her majesty's fever has not increased, and we are quietly and hopefully awaiting the results of a good night's rest for the queen. There is no cause for immediate disquietude."

At 10 o'clock tonight her majesty was reported to be sleeping quietly and at that hour her condition was practically unchanged.

A bulletin issued at Castle Loo today is as follows:

"As has been feared, the illness from which Queen Wilhelmina is suffering put an end, yesterday evening, to the hopes for a happy event, the realization whereof was expected in September next."

It is no longer concealed that the operation which was performed late last night was most dangerous, and that for one hour the patient's life hung by a thread, causing the most terrible suspense. Even now, although the queen's physicians are exceedingly reticent, it is known that her condition remains precarious and that everything depends upon the strength of the patient's constitution. There is reasonable hope for her majesty's recovery, however, provided that hemorrhage is averted.

It is now said that her majesty's doctors, being no longer embarrassed by complications in their patient's condition, will be able to adopt more efficient means in treating the typhoid. It is also held to be exceedingly fortunate that the mishap of last night occurred when it did instead of a fortnight ago. It would then almost certainly have proved fatal.

The Dutch public is strongly resentful at learning that the truth of this case has been so long withheld and that reassuring bulletins were issued while her majesty's condition was known to be dangerous. This fact engenders some suspicion and anxiety as to the reliability of the bulletins issued today.

Queen Wilhelmina, although of robust appearance, has always been somewhat delicate and her health has required very careful attention.

BERLIN, May 5.—The illness of Queen Wilhelmina is watched with especial interest in Germany because both the heir apparent and the heir presumptive to the Dutch throne are Germans. Under the law of succession in Holland the ruling grand duke of the grand duchy of Saxe Weimar, William Ernst, inherits the crown in the event of Queen Wilhelmina dying without issue. It is regarded as certain that he would renounce it, however, preferring to remain the reigning grand duke of the grand duchy.

The next heir to the Dutch throne is Prince Henry XXXII. of the younger branch of the Reuss family. He is 24 years of age and a lieutenant in the German navy. He is stationed at Kiel.

ANOTHER SALARY JUMP IN ALLEGHENY

Council Finance Committee Prepares Ordinance Giving City Officials More Pay.

Allegheny financiers are planning a raise in the city's tax levy to meet another wholesale advance in the salaries of city officials. The finance committee of councils last night approved a number of ordinances providing heavy increases in salaries.

The committee were unable to decide how the additional revenue to meet the increases in expenditures was to be raised, but concluded that any possible deficit should be met by an increase in the tax levy for next year.

Among those who think that their salaries should be increased are assistant superintendent of police, John Glenn, who wants $1,800 a year; Recorder Murphy's messenger, who asks for $1,200, which is more than the Pittsburgh recorder's messenger gets.

The meat and milk inspector wants $1,500; the bacteriologist, $1,800; building inspector, $1,500; assistant building inspector, $1,200; market constable, $90 per month; chief city assessor, $2,200; four assessors $1,800 each; clerk of bureau of assessors, $1,400; city clerks, $1,800 each. On motion of John R. Henricks, the ordinances were amended to take effect June 1, 1902.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
Sagres		Hohenzollern
Havre		La Gascogne
New York	Lahn	
New York	Bovic	
Southampton		Friedrich der Grosse.
Shimonoseki		Hyson
Cherbourg		Klautschau
Plymouth		Graf Waldersee
Hamburg	Pennsylvania	
Liverpool	Cymric	
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Yokohama		Emp. of India.
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Georgia Woman Opens the Battle and Is Backed by a Large Majority—Club Women Have an Exciting Day—The Political Situation.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

LOS ANGELES, CAL., May 5.—After two hours' discussion of the admission of colored women into the women's federation the anti-colored women won. The convention voted overwhelmingly to accept the compromise amendment agreed upon in New York several weeks ago.

There was no bitterness in the preliminary talk outside the convention hall. When Mrs. A. O. Granger, president of the Georgia federation, moved that sections 2 and 3 of article II., parts of the proposed amendment, be made the first order of business, everyone knew the battle was on.

When points of order and interrogation points flew thick and fast Mrs. Lowe retired from the chair temporarily, calling Mrs. Denison to preside. Section 2, which was finally adopted, follows:

From a state where a club is a member of the state federation, it would also be eligible to the general federation, if recommended by the executive board of the state federation, the power of admission to remain as given in article II of the by-laws.

Section 3 of article II, which will come up tomorrow reads:

The president shall refer all applications for membership to the committee on membership appointed by the board of directors for its action upon the same. The action of the committee on membership shall be in writing and a unanimous vote of the committee shall be required to elect. In case the committee fails to agree, the application shall be referred to the whole board, the written vote of two-thirds of which shall be necessary to elect to membership.

Election rumors are flying fast. There seems to be a feeling that the Decker forces are gaining ground. A Colorado woman said that 17 states have announced their intention of voting for her for president.

The report of the committee appointed to secure a national charter called forth much discussion. This committee was instructed to continue the work of perfecting the charter under the new organization.

The educational session was the strong attraction tonight, with President David Starr Jordan of Leland Stanford university as chief speaker on "The Education of Women."

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Before the advent of spring, you must have noted symptoms, perhaps of indigestion, dyspepsia, rheumatism, neuralgia, kidney disease, liver complaint, functional irregularities, or nervous disorders.

Take warning, sufferers! the symptoms you experience are signals of disease. Delay not another day; hesitation and indecision on your part may forever seal your fate. If you have already made efforts to banish your troubles by the use of other medicines and the treatment of physicians, and these have failed, we counsel you to put your full trust in that great disease banisher, Paine's Celery Compound. Its use for a week or two will convince you that you have truly commenced a new existence. Rev. W. E. Aldridge, a leading and prominent clergyman of Birmingham, Ala., says: "I had been afflicted for ten years with what I thought to be heart disease, but after having the physicians examine me, I learned that I was almost dead from indigestion. They told me they could give me medicine that would relieve me, but there was no permanent cure. Then I began using Paine's Celery Compound which gave me immediate relief, and I am now well and enjoying good health. I can recommend Paine's Celery Compound to be the best medicine for all ailments; if people will use the Compound freely, they will have no doctors' bills to pay."

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8 "	8	"	"		1.20
9 "	8	"	"		1.35
10 "	8	"	"		1.50
12 "	10	"	"		2.25

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These are parti-colored awnings, made of half-inch slats in alternate strips—brown and white wood.

The slats are quilted, or laced together with cord. Very flexible and easily rolled up.

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7 "	8	"	"		3.00
8 "	8	"	"		3.50
9 "	8	"	"		4.00
10 "	8	"	"		4.50
12 "	10	"	"		6.00

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And the handsomest of Costumes are also to be seen in the second floor Suit Department. Made of voile, etamine, crepe de chine, pongee, foulards and nets—exquisite finishes of Irish and applique laces, ribbons and embroidery. All the latest and most effective models. $40, $45, $50, $60, $65 and up to $175.

But let us tell of Mohair Suits—the most generally favored of all suits, for thoroughly serviceable all-around wear.

We have a new Mohair suit to sell for $25. Plain blue, plain black, and blue and black stripes. Eton and Blouse styles with dress skirt. The suit is effectively trimmed with taffeta. As prepossessing a suit as we ever had for $25.

Quite a fine Mohair suit is the one we sell for $38. It is blouse style, the collarless jacket trimmed with stitched moire, and the full sleeve finished with moire cuff; the skirt has flared flounce finished with moire band. Blue, cream and black.

Another handsome mohair suit is an Eton style which we sell for $40. The Eton is box pleated, finished with new girdle effect of stitched taffeta band. It also has entirely new pleated sleeve. The skirt is pleated and trimmed with taffeta to match Eton. It is made over silk drop.

The nattiest Mohair Skirt that we have had for a long while is the one we told about yesterday morning selling for $5. Lots of them sold yesterday—every buyer immensely pleased. Black and white polka dots over contrasting grounds. Gored top and flared flounce. Lined with excellent percaline.

The French Shopping Skirts made of Mohair are meeting with much favor. Black, gray and blue. Latest ideas in side pleat effects. Very reasonable price, $11.

Would like to show you our new line of Flannel Outing Skirts and also the Outing Suits of Flannel. Inexpensive.

Summer Weight Comforts and Blankets.

Too many bed clothes is just as disagreeable as not enough. Pretty hard to strike the right medium this time of the year. But we think these Comforts and Blankets are just about the thing.

Prepared specially for the Summer months.

Silkoline covered Comforts—filled with light, lofty cotton—$1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2 and up to $3.50 each.

Summer weight wool Blankets for all sizes of beds:

Crib size, $2.25 a pair.

Single bed size, $3, $4 and $5 a pair.

Three-quarter size, $4, $5, $6, $7 a pair.

Double bed size, $5, $6, $7, $8 a pair.

In the big Bedding Department of the Basement.

Good Refrigeration.

We aim to give best results by handling only best chests and refrigerators.

So far we have never found any Refrigerators that come up to those made by Eddy, of Boston.

He studies the inside, and lets the outside take care of itself.

But we would not have you think they are ugly looking affairs—quite the contrary.

Selling more this season than ever before. People are beginning to understand the correct principles of refrigeration.

Eddy Chests, according to size, $7.50 to $24.

Eddy Refrigerators, according to size, $12 to $87.

PENN AND FIFTH

When You Want the Best Sunday Newspaper You Naturally Think of the Gazette.

Best Teeth, $8.00
Gold Crowns, Bridge Work, $4.00
Painless Extracting.
Albany Dental Parlors
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Both 'Phones.
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Ask for the Lasso Guard. Never Slips.

COLLEGE BOYS PAINT LIVE ANIMALS; SIX MEN WOUNDED IN SUNDAY FIGHTS

ANIMALS PAINTED BY COLLEGE BOYS

Valuable Horse Is Given a Coat of Green and Vermillion.

TWO LAMBS ARE ALSO VICTIMS OF PRANKS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW CASTLE, PA., May 5.—The people of New Wilmington are excited over the pranks of students at Westminster college, and prosecutions may follow if sufficient evidence can be secured against the perpetrators.

A few evenings ago a valuable horse belonging to the Rev. J. O. Campbell, who is connected with the college, was taken from the stable and painted green over its body, while its legs and hoofs were streaked with vermillion. The horse was found tied to the hitching post in front of the Rev. Mr. Campbell's house in the morning.

The same night two lambs were taken from a field, painted green and tied before the home of Prof. Shaffer, also a member of the faculty. The lambs died from the effects of the poison in the paint, and the horse is in a terrible condition from blood poisoning.

HARRIS TAKES OFFICE.

State Treasurer Enters Upon His Duties at Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, PA., May 5.—Frank G. Harris of Clearfield, who was elected State treasurer last November, took the oath of office at noon today and immediately entered upon the duties. Mr. Harris succeeds Col. James E. Barnett of Washington, who will take up the practice of law at Pittsburgh.

The retiring treasurer turned over to his successor all the securities, which were found to be correct, and showed a balance of $21,434,367 93 in the treasury, of which $7,808,687 80 is in the general fund. Mr. Harris said he would make no change at present in the clerical force.

IRWIN CONTRACTOR KILLED.

J. W. Reed Is Struck by a Train at Stewart Station.

IRWIN, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—J. W. Reed of this place was instantly killed at Stewart station this evening, while crossing the railroad track. Mr. Reed was a large contractor and had been at the new town of Trafford City looking after his work. He was returning to the depot to catch a train for Irwin.

A freight train had been cut in order to allow passengers to cross from the south to the north side of the tracks, and Mr. Reed passed between the two cars on the north side track, when he was struck and killed by a westbound train.

Mr. Reed was a prominent church worker and had been a member of the board of stewards of the Methodist Episcopal church for 18 years. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, Mrs. H. O. Koefer of East End, Pittsburgh, and Mrs. James Auperle of Indianapolis, Ind.

FATALLY BURNED RESCUING CHILDREN

New Kensington Merchant and Family Caught in Burning House.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW KENSINGTON, PA., May 5.—As the result of a lamp explosion this morning A. W. Crawford, a merchant, was perhaps fatally burned and his wife and two small children seriously burned while escaping from the building.

The lamp was on a stand in a sleeping room when the explosion occurred. Burning oil was thrown over the room and Crawford's clothing was set on fire. He tore the clothing from his body and dashed out through the burning hallway.

He sounded an alarm and hastened back to assist his wife and children. The wife and two children had already escaped through the flames, though badly burned. The father dashed into an adjoining room and seized his other two children in his arms. He reached the outer door and fell unconscious. The building was saved after a stubborn fight.

AN EFFORT TO BRING BEEF TRUST TO TERMS

James Francis Burke's Suggestion to Commissioner Cope May Cause Action.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, PA., May 5.—Dairy and Food Commissioner Cope is expected to take action on the letter of James Francis Burke of Pittsburgh suggesting how the beef trust can be brought to terms in Pennsylvania, when he returns here on Wednesday. Mr. Cope left his office on Friday and has since been at his home at Lancaster, attending a meeting of the Chester County School Directors' association.

Mr. Burke's letter reached his office today and Chief Clerk Hutchinson concluded to hold it until Cope's return.

Acting under instructions from Secretary of Agriculture Hamilton, Cope issued an order some time ago giving the trust until August 1 to withdraw its doctored meat from the Pennsylvania market. It is expected that he will consult Hamilton before taking any action on the Burke letter.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

BEAVER FALLS, PA.—James Fudolo, an Italian stone quarryman, employed at the quarry of Stratton Angelus & Co. at Rock Point, was killed by a Pittsburgh & Lake Erie train.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Robbers last night entered the home of Alfred Wylie, a leading merchant, and $16 was taken.

NEW BRIGHTON, PA.—John William Douglass, aged retired, died at this place, was killed yesterday by being struck near Rochester by a train.

FREEDOM, PA.—The body of the young man who committed suicide at this place Sunday evening by shooting himself after wading into the Ohio river, has been identified as that of John Dennyhoffer.

RIDGWAY, PA.—The directors of the Ridgway National bank voted yesterday to quit business on May 20, and go into voluntary liquidation.

CHARLESTON, W. VA.—Gov. White has granted a pardon to Preston Wright, sent to the penitentiary for five years from Mingo county for house breaking.

STEUBENVILLE, O.—The stable and wagon house of the Gainbrinus Stock Company, with all its contents, was destroyed by an incendiary fire yesterday. The loss is $3,000, with small insurance.

SIX MEN WOUNDED IN FAYETTE FIGHTS

Numerous Sunday Crimes Committed in the Coke Region.

ALL THE VICTIMS SERIOUSLY INJURED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

UNIONTOWN, PA., May 5.—Sunday was full of crime in Fayette county. Luke Darrall is dying from four bullet wounds made by George Tobin at the Bessemer coke works. Children's quarrels were taken up by the men and Darrall attacked Tobin with a club. Tobin claims self-defense.

At Oliver, John Wilson, colored, shot one Slav twice and slashed another with a razor.

At the Sharon coke works a Slav with a big knife stabbed another Slav about the head and body.

A colored man shot and dangerously wounded two Hungarians at the Anchor mines. All the victims are in a dangerous condition. Three arrests have been made.

State Charters Issued.

HARRISBURG, PA., May 5.—Charters were issued by the state department today to the following corporations: Woodworth Evans Company, Pittsburgh, capital $52,000; Broadway Department Store, Scottdale, capital, $20,000; New Kensington Opera House Company, New Kensington, capital $8,000; Kendall Coal & Coke Company, Vandergrift, Fayette county, capital $14,000; the Pittsburgh Woodware Company, Pittsburgh, capital $50,000.

School Cornerstone Laid.

CLEARFIELD, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—The cornerstone of the new high school was laid today with the Masonic ritual. District Deputy Master W. J. Fleming of Bellefonte was in charge of the ritualistic work, and City Superintendent H. E. Trost delivered the address. The new building will be of Clearfield sandstone and will cost $40,000.

Pittsburghers Granted Charter.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., May 5.—(Special.)—A charter was issued today to the Continental Pickle & Canning Company, with principal offices at Pittsburgh. The authorized capital stock is $50,000, of which $20,000 is paid in. The incorporators are E. T. Schantz, S. B. Orr, John C. Blume and Fred Hancock of Pittsburgh.

Widow Gets Estate.

NEW CASTLE, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—Judge Wallace today handed down a decision giving the entire estate of the late Joseph Hardaker of this city to his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Hardaker. After he died two years ago, relatives in England laid claim to his estate, under a disputed clause in the will.

Home the Same for Fifty Years.

The fiftieth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Petrie, which will be celebrated at the old Petrie homestead in Robinson township today, will attract about 200 visitors to that place, including friends and relatives. The couple have lived in the old home for 50 years, having been married in their present abode.

MERGER LINES FILE ANSWERS TO KNOX'S BILL

Lessening of Competition Not the Object of Northern Securities Company.

THE BURLINGTON DEAL

It Did Not Compete With Defendant Lines and Was Bought for a Feeder—Rate Reductions Have Followed Transactions Objected To.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

St. Paul, May 5.—"An enterprise in aid of a great competitive interstate and international commerce," is the description of the Northern Securities Company given in the answer filed by the attorneys for that corporation in the suit brought by Attorney General Knox on behalf of the United States to enjoin the so-called merger of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern railways. This answer was filed this afternoon in the United States circuit court, and individual answers were also filed by individual defendants.

The answer is largely a denial of the petition respecting any charge of conspiracy and respecting the purposes of the organization of the Securities company.

Attention is called to the sparsely settled nature of the country through which the Great Northern runs; the abundance of raw materials to be hauled at a low mileage rate; the great timber wealth in the northwest, the necessity of a return load for the cars taking this timber to the prairie states; the development of trade with Eastern Asia as a means of securing such return loads, and the establishment of a connecting steamship line for that purpose.

Plenty of Competition.

It is stated that "in the interstate and international commerce which the Great Northern company has thus built up it competes both in this country and on the ocean with the other transcontinental lines, including the Canadian Pacific, and at the oriental ports it competes for commerce with the world. Its rates are and must be made in competition with the rates of ocean carriers and by way of the Suez canal."

It is said that both roads were at a disadvantage with other transcontinental railroads, as well as with European competitors, by the want of sufficiently direct connection with the territory offering the best markets for the products of the country along their lines, and with the places of production and great centers of distribution from which their traffic must be supplied. The lines of the Burlington, better than those of any other company, fulfilled the requirements of both roads in respect of markets for eastbound and westbound traffic. The answer continues:

Burlington Purchase Explained.

The price paid for said Burlington stock was lower per mile of main track covered by the stock than that for which the stock of any other large and well-established system in the same general territory could then have been bought.

The purchase of the Burlington stock by the Northern Pacific and Great Northern companies, in equal parts, served each company as well as if it were the sole owner of such stock, while such purchase might have been beyond the financial means of either company by itself.

The Great Northern and Northern Pacific companies, therefore, each purchased an equal number of shares of the Burlington stock for the sole purpose of reaching the best markets for the products of the territory along their lines and of securing connections which would furnish the largest amount of traffic for their respective roads, increase the trade and interchange of commodities between the regions traversed or reached by the Great Northern and Northern Pacific lines, and by their connecting lines of shipping on the Pacific coast.

It is declared that "in such purchase there was no purpose to lessen any competition of the Burlington lines with those of either of the purchasers, for they are not competitive, or to lessen any competition between the purchasers."

When the Idea Originated.

The idea of a holding company, continued the answer, originated as far back as 1893. It was feared that the possible scattering of their holdings would result in a change of the policy of the company. The idea of a holding company was suggested, but no agreement was then made. A number of stockholders, after the reorganization of the Northern Pacific, individually and without concerted action, bought stock in this company, until about May 1, 1901, they owned nearly $20,000,000 of the $80,000,000 common stock, of which J. Pierpont Morgan & Co. had also about $6,000,000.

At this time it was not expected that any Northern Pacific shares except the said $42,000,000, being the combined Morgan-Hill interest, would be acquired by the proposed holding company. The organization of such company was not dependent on any agreement that it should acquire a majority of the shares of either defendant railway company. It would have been organized if the Burlington purchase had not been made, and if its promoters had had no other shares to transfer to it than the $30,000,000 of Great Northern stock and the $20,000,000 of Northern Pacific stock held by them on May 1, 1901. After its organization the defendant bought and still holds $150,000,000 of the stock of the Northern Pacific Railway Company, and it has also purchased or negotiated for the purchase of the stock of the Great Northern company, as hereinbefore stated."

Rates Voluntarily Reduced.

It is stated that since the Securities company was formed both lines have voluntarily so reduced rates as to decrease their earnings by upward of $1,000,000 annually. It is claimed that the total amount of all traffic between points common to the two roads is less than 2 per cent of the total interstate traffic of the two companies. It is maintained that the Securities company is not a railroad company and has no power to operate railways or control rates or restrain traffic. The answer declares further:

"The anti-trust act was not intended to prevent or defeat an enterprise in aid of a great competitive interstate and international commerce, merely because such enterprise may carry with it the possibility of incidental restraint upon some commerce, trifling both as respects territory and volume. Nor was the act intended to limit the power of the several states, to create corporations, define their purposes, fix the amount of their capital and determine who may buy and sell the stock.

Otherwise construed the act would be unconstitutional because: The power to regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the states does not give congress the power to regulate any of the matters above-mentioned in respect to corporations created by the states; and, because persons may not be deprived of their property without due process of law by taking from them the right to sell it, as their interest may suggest.

ELKIN'S FRIENDS ARE AT IT ONCE MORE

Deny That Judge Pennypacker or Any Candidate but Plow Boy Is Popular.

Friends of Elkin are hard at work to show that the candidacy of Judge S. W. Pennypacker is not well received in this county. When asked for a reason they have none to give. Elkin followers will not admit that any candidate but the "plow boy" is popular.

Should Judge Pennypacker be elected governor he would be the first Philadelphia Republican who has held the office. The Democrats of Philadelphia have twice been represented by Robert E. Pattison. The Republican governors have all been furnished by the country counties, with the exception of the present occupant of the office, and Allegheny city gets credit for him.

It was reported yesterday that Elkin had come to Pittsburgh and had a conference with J. N. Pew. The latter denied having seen the attorney general and R. B. Scandrett said that he had not heard of Elkin being in town. Thomas S. Bigelow returned to Pittsburgh yesterday, but it could not be learned that he had conferred with Elkin.

In Indiana it was said that Elkin had left home on an early morning train for Harrisburg. At the state capital Elkin's friends said that he was at his home and would be in Harrisburg this morning. Stone will probably have to insert a "Lost" notice for one candidate for governor.

John McClure was asked yesterday if he would be a candidate for congress in the city district. He said that he had not decided to be a candidate. The machine is trying to find a man to oppose James Francis Burke. Some of the old organization leaders are still hopeful that Judge W. D. Porter will consent to the use of his name.

J. O. Brown announced yesterday that he might succeed himself as chairman of the Republican city committee. This would mean that it has been decided to sidetrack the candidacy of M. G. Leslie.

MRS. SOFFEL ENTERS A PLEA OF GUILTY

She Acknowledges That She Assisted the Biddle Brothers to Escape the Gallows.

Mrs. Catherine Soffel pleaded guilty yesterday to the indictment charging her with aiding prisoners to escape from the county jail, as The Gazette of Sunday stated exclusively that she would do. She is thus saved the humiliation of having much more of her life exposed to the public, and saves the public from again hearing the particulars of the escape and flight of the Biddles, and the tragic ending of their existence.

Mrs. Soffel was dressed as if she was going calling or to see friends, and as she sat in the court room was apparently less concerned in the proceedings than any member of the large crowd there to see her. She appeared in excellent health, and there were no evidences of either mental or bodily suffering. Each company.

Judges Frazer and Rodgers were on the bench. Mrs. Soffel's attorneys did not want their client brought before the bar to plead, but District Attorney Haymaker insisted that she make her plea of guilty like any other prisoner. There is another indictment of two counts charging felonious assault and battery against Mrs. Soffel.

At the request of her attorneys sentence was deferred until Saturday. It is then the intention of her attorneys to have a number of character witnesses to plead for her, and try to save her from the two years' sentence that is the penalty under the law. If she had been tried and convicted on all of the indictments against her she could be sentenced to 14 years' imprisonment.

DEMANDS MADE KNOWN.

The Blast Furnace Workers Want an Eight-Hour Day With No Wage Reduction.

President John McMahon of the Blast Furnace and Smelter Workers' National association has sent the wage demand of the association to the blast furnace operators of the Pittsburgh district, the Mahoning and Shenango valleys and the Cleveland district.

The proposition is for the establishment of an eight instead of a 12-hour day the first of next month, with the same wages as are now paid for 12 hours.

DOCTORS ENDORSE SWAMP-ROOT

To Prove what Swamp-Root, the Great Kidney, Liver or Bladder Remedy, will do for YOU, Every Reader of Gazette May Have a Sample Bottle Sent Free by Mail.

East Atlanta, Ga., March 1st, 1901.

DR. KILMER & CO., Binghamton, N. Y.

Gentlemen—While it has never been my habit or inclination to recommend remedies the ingredients of which are not all known to me, it seems as if I should make an exception in the case of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. My experience, so far as I have tested it in my practice, forces me to the conclusion that it is a remedy of the greatest value in all kidney, liver, bladder and other inflammatory conditions of the genito-urinary tract. I now take pleasure in prescribing Swamp-Root in all such cases with a feeling of assurance that my patients will derive great benefit from its use. I shall continue to prescribe it in other cases in my practice, with the expectation of good results. Very truly yours,

(A. J. Haile, M. D.) A. J. Haile M.D.

Gentlemen—I have prescribed that wonderful remedy for kidney complaint, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, with most beneficial effect and know of many cures by its use. These patients had kidney trouble, as diagnosed by other physicians, and treated without benefit. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root effected a cure. I am a liberal man and accept a specific wherever I find it, in an accepted school or out of it. For desperate cases of kidney complaint under treatment with unsatisfactory results I turn to Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root with most flattering results. I shall continue to prescribe it and from personal observation state that Swamp Root has great curative properties. Truly yours,

(L. Barstow Irish, M. D.) L. Barstow Irish M.D.
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If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles at the drug stores everywhere. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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PITTSBURGH GAZETTE'S CABLE FEATURES

SAN DOMINGO CAPITAL HAS BEEN OVERTHROWN BY REVOLUTIONISTS

Vice President Is to Assume the Reins of the New Government.

FIELD OPERATIONS OF SHORT DURATION

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

MONTE CHRISTI, SAN DOMINGO, May 5.—Messengers under a flag of truce who arrived yesterday at Puerto Plata from San Domingo city, confirmed the report of the capitulation of the Dominican capital which took place Friday. President Jiminez sought refuge in the French consulate at San Domingo.

The negotiations between the revolutionists and Gen. Deschamps, the governor of Puerto Plata, for the surrender of that place have, it is further reported here, fallen through. The governor refuses to surrender without an order from the Dominican government.

PUERTO PLATA, May 5.—The insurgents have obtained possession of the entire republic with the exception of this town. Gov. Deschamps is said to have been an aspirant for president and has been bitterly opposed to the present revolution. He caused the arrest of Charles H. Lolnaz, the Norwegian vice consul in Puerto Plata, on the charge of having conspired to overthrow the Jiminez government. The consular corps obtained the release of Mr. Lolnaz.

Vice President Horacio Vasquez has overthrown the government of President Juan I. Jiminez after field operations of less than two weeks. There has been until recently no apparent rupture of friendly relations between the president and the vice president of the Dominican republic.

Vasquez, according to his friends, endeavored to support Jiminez, but owing to the contracts which the president is said to have made to the financial injury of the republic, the vice president turned against him.

Puerto Plata's governor, Deschamps, has a small force of troops and nine a warship in port and may offer to Vasquez the most determined resistance that the revolutionary leader has met, but it is believed that the town will soon be captured.

Vasquez is expected to assume the reins of government at once. He is of Dominican birth and about 40 years old. His friends represent him as progressive, intelligent and honorable.

MANY WORKMEN BURNED BY BOILING SLAG

One Man Is Dead and Three Are Probably Fatally Injured at Steelton.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, May 6.—Word was received here at an early hour this morning that one man is dead, three probably fatally injured and five others badly hurt, the result of the boiling over of slag in one of the open-hearth mills of the Pennsylvania steel works at Steelton. The injured are being brought to the Harrisburg hospital for treatment. Names of the unfortunate men are not obtainable at this time.

CUBAN CONGRESS ELECTS OFFICERS

House and Senate of the New Republic Hold First Session.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

HAVANA, May 5.—The Cuban senate and house of representatives assembled at noon today in the palace. Governor General Wood made an address, wishing the legislators success in the work they were about to enter upon. He informed them that the legislative power would be vested in congress until after the formal transfer of the government. Their work now was to pass upon credentials and to inform the military government, officially, who had been selected president and vice president, senators and members of the house of representatives.

The position of president pro tempore of both the senate and the house was unanimously accorded to the oldest member of each body. Salvator Cisneros was elected president of the senate, while Pedro Alberran was elected president of the house of representatives.

MORO PRISONERS BREAK FOR FREEDOM

Many of the Enemy Taken in Battle Fall While Trying to Escape From Captivity.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

MANILA, May 5.—Eighty of our Moro prisoners under guard made an attempt to escape today. At a preconcerted signal they got between the soldiers forming the guard and a company at dinner. The latter, realizing what had happened, fired on and pursued the Moros, killing 25 of them and capturing nine. The others escaped.

The one chance of saving the life of Capt. Moore of the Twenty-seventh infantry, who was wounded during the recent fighting with the Moros, in the island of Mindanao, is by trepanning a portion of his skull resting on the brain.

The body of Lieut. Thomas A. Vicars of the Twenty-first infantry, has been temporarily buried at Malabang.

Hopes are still entertained of saving the lives of the other wounded American officers.

A soldier has died of cholera on board the United States transport Warren, in quarantine here. Her crew and passengers have been landed by the United States steamer Meriveles. The Warren will be fumigated and undergo another five days in quarantine.

Miss Stone's Case Will Rest.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—The expected report from United States Minister Leishman on the kidnaping of Miss Stone has reached the department of state. It is improbable that the case will be carried any further for the present.

DYSPEPSIA

To suffer from Dyspepsia means that your stomach is too weak to properly digest the food taken into it. What you need is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the best medicine in the world to cure Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Insomnia, Nervousness and Malaria. Be sure to try it.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

A FRENCH MISSION SAILS FOR AMERICA TO UNVEIL MONUMENT

Envoys Embark on Battleship Which Puts Out to Sea from Toulon.

CEREMONY TO BE HELD IN WASHINGTON

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

TOULON, FRANCE, May 5.—The mission to represent France at the unveiling of the Rochambeau monument arrived from Paris at 11 o'clock this morning. Vice Admiral Maigrot, commanding the French Mediterranean squadron, and Rear Admirals Jaureguiberry and Gigon met the members at the railroad station.

Admiral Fournier hoisted his flag on the battleship Gaulois, which is to take the mission to the United States, and it was saluted by the forts and warships.

The Gaulois sailed at 5 o'clock this afternoon, and will call at the Azores to re-victual.

PEACOCK'S NEW VENTURE.

Pittsburgh Millionaire Becomes Principal Owner of a Building in Broadway, New York.

NEW YORK, May 5.—(Special.)—Alexander R. Peacock of Pittsburgh and formerly vice president of the Carnegie Company is the chief buyer of the Borcel building in Broadway.

The Thames Court Company, just incorporated with a capital stock of $1,000,000, took title to the property today, the price being $3,000,000, of which $2,000,000 remained on bond and mortgage. President Black of the George A. Fuller Company announced that the Thames Court Company stock is owned chiefly by Mr. Peacock.

Better Hurry If You Want A Sample Piano at Reduced Price

The sale of sample pianos at specially reduced prices is proving the success that was anticipated.

It doesn't take music lovers long to discover that instruments such as these are worth a great deal more than the prices asked for them.

Neither does it take long to dispose of a collection, no matter how large it may be, when the sale starts.

Sample pianos are about the rarest commodity in the music business, for a very good reason that manufacturers are never known to send their instruments to dealers indiscriminately.

The collection now on sale at Hamilton's was received from various manufacturers who hoped to prevail upon this firm to become their Pittsburgh representatives. But, as was pointed out in the advertisement yesterday, it is impossible for any concern to accept the agency of all the instruments that may be submitted, hence these samples must be sold without delay.

It is pertinent to remark, however, that the instruments in this sale have all been tried and have given such a good account of themselves that they are sure to prove perfectly satisfactory to the purchasers. And the fact that you can buy any one in the lot at a price that is very much below what the instrument was intended to sell for, is sufficient to bring customers here who know the value of saving.

Here's a partial list of names of the sample pianos, and you'll not make a mistake no matter which one you may select: New England Pianos, regular prices $225 to $400, reduced for this special sample sale, $180 to $240.

Winthrop Pianos, regular prices $275 to $300, reduced for this special sample sale, $165 to $190.

Rica & Son Pianos, regular prices $300 to $325, reduced for this special sample sale, $175 to $200.

Wegman Pianos, regular prices $450 to $550, reduced for this special sample sale, $295 to $360.

Biddle Pianos, regular prices $230 to $275, reduced for this special sample sale, $135 to $170.

Some of the instruments are in cases of fancy finish, which, it need hardly be said, are always appreciated by persons who have an eye for the beautiful.

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PENNSYLVANIA HAS GREAT PLANS FOR EAST END

New Connections With Allegheny Valley and West Penn Projected.

BRIDGE AT BRILLIANT

Agents Continue Activity in Buying Property and Seek Options on Inwood Street Property—New Passenger Station to Be Built.

Agents in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company are showing great activity in securing property in the East End for the purpose of building a new freight terminal.

The latest move is an attempt to option all the property on both sides of Inwood street. It is believed orders have been given to make all speed in securing this strip from Frankstown avenue to Silver Lake for switching yards and a roundhouse site.

Beside having new freight terminals in the Twenty-first ward, on property now being optioned, it leaked out yesterday that the Pennsylvania has a scheme to build a new passenger station on the property. This station, it is said, will not in any manner interfere with the proposed erection of a new station in East Liberty, which has been contemplated for a number of years.

The proposed new station in the Twenty-first ward, it is claimed, will be put up for the purpose of accommodating East End residents who desire to go to Buffalo and other lake points, and also to travel over the West Penn division of the road.

New Bridge Planned.

The nearest point East End people can reach for such trips is the Union station and it is proposed to give better and easier facilities for travel to and from these points, as well as provide a new connecting freight yard.

The fact also developed yesterday that it is the intention of the Pennsylvania company to build a new bridge across the Allegheny river near Brilliant, dumping station. This bridge will connect the tracks of the Pennsylvania, Allegheny Valley and West Penn roads, and the plans include freight connections via this bridge.

The plans for the proposed new improvements have been almost completed and by the time the full amount of land required has been purchased the Pennsylvania will be ready to start the work.

An official of the company admitted that he had seen the plans of the new improvements yesterday, but refused to discuss them under any circumstances.

The first propositions to get possession of the Inwood street lots and dwellings was made last Saturday night, when several real estate men made calls on the residents and property owners of that section asking options on their property from Saturday night until Monday.

Named Own Prices.

The property owners were given the privilege of putting their own prices on their holdings and $1 was given in each case where an option was taken to hold the property until Monday, when a permanent option was to be taken or the other one given up.

Many of the property holders in the section gave temporary options on their property and yesterday several permanent options were given. Last night a number of real estate men visited Inwood street and succeeded in taking up more options, and it is now believed by the residents of the street that the Pennsylvania Company will take their property, along with that optioned from Fifth avenue to Silver lake.

When the first propositions were made to the property holders of Inwood street many of them became suspicious. It was first proposed to take up the options without any consideration, but when the land and real estate holders demanded money said it was forthcoming, there remained not the least shadow of a doubt that the property was wanted for the railroad.

Whether the Pennsylvania Company really wants this property or not, remains to be yet ascertained. It was at first supposed a strong bluff was being made in optioning the Inwood street property in order to obtain some of the property that is still not secured by the options in Linden and Frankstown avenues.

Agents Are Active.

The principal block of unoptioned property in the Linden avenue section is owned by the Finley estate. It fronts in Frankstown avenue and runs along the Beechwood boulevard to Silver lake. The plot contains over seven acres, and although the Pennsylvania is believed to be anxious to secure this, no approaches have yet been made to Mrs. Eliza Finley, who controls the land, by the officials of the company.

Mrs. Finley stated yesterday that she had been approached by 15 real estate men since last week. They wanted to get options on the property, but Mrs. Finley has not even set a price on it. She said also that if the Pennsylvania railroad intended making a freight terminal on the ground optioned that she would dispose of all her holdings to them at a fair price. She refuses, however, to give any options on the plot, but says she will make the sale outright to the railroad people.

Mrs. Finley desires to dispose of all her holdings, amounting to 28 acres, in that section, but will sell the 7-acre plot separately. Mrs. Finley has not set any special amount on the property, but intimated the 7-acre piece could be purchased for about $125,000.

The holders of property in Linden avenue, who were not notified of the railroad company's intention to accept their holdings last week, were so given instructions yesterday, and it is believed that by May 15, on which date the options expire, that all the property will be decided and paid for.

NO LEGION OF HONOR FOR DEWEY OR MILES

The President Puts His Foot Down Upon Proposed Insignia from the French Government.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—President Roosevelt has intimated to the French government that he does not think it desirable for that government to confer the cross of the Legion of Honor upon Admiral Dewey and Lieut. Gen. Miles.

Notification that the cross would be conferred was taken to the White House by M. Cambon, the French ambassador. France desired to commemorate the ceremonies connected with the unveiling of the Rochambeau statue, on May 24, and she believed it would be a graceful act of courtesy to select prominent Americans for membership of her Legion of Honor.

It was said the president received the announcement with surprise. So far as Admiral Dewey was concerned, he said, there would be no objection, but it could not be thought of in the case of Gen. Miles. The president suggested to the ambassador that he be allowed a few days to consider the matter. When the ambassador next called he was informed the decision had been reached not to consent to conferring the honor upon either officer.

THE REV. DR. H. D. LINDSAY, Who Will Take Part in the Movement Before the Presbyterian General Assembly for Stricter Divorce Laws.

YALE RECOGNIZES KELVIN'S SERVICE

AGED SCIENTIST RECEIVES HONORARY DEGREE OF L. L. D.

First Time in 100 Years a Special Assembly Has Been Held for That Purpose—Battelle Chapel Filled by Enthusiastic Audience.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW HAVEN, CONN., May 5.—William Thomson, first Lord Kelvin, this afternoon received from Yale university the honorary degree of doctor of laws. The ceremony took place in Battelle chapel before a large audience. This was the first time in over 100 years that a special assembly has been held at Yale for the conference of an honorary degree.

Lord Kelvin was escorted into the church by Prof. Arthur T. Hadley, followed by members of the university corporation and faculties. The ceremonies were short. After the preliminaries Lord Kelvin was presented for the degree by Prof. Russell Henry Chittenden, Ph. D., director of the Sheffield Scientific school. President Hadley conferred the degree as follows:

"William Thomson, Baron Kelvin—To some of the men of science it is given to render practical service by their discoveries; to others it is given to use those discoveries as a means to the profounder understanding of the laws of the universe. Yours has been the honor of combining both these results in the work of a single life. You have joined the different regions of the earth by your investigations of the submarine telegraph; you have joined the different realms of human thought by your contributions to physical theory. In recognition of this long and glorious service wherein each successive achievement which seemed to the world a culmination of your labors, but was with you only the starting point for severer labors and the stepping stone toward achievements yet higher, we confer upon you the degree of doctor of laws and admit you to all its rights and privileges."

As the hood of the degree was slipped over the shoulder of the eminent scholar and investigator there was tremendous applause.

Lord Kelvin responded feelingly with thanks for the honor conferred, and after a tribute to Yale, reviewed briefly development of the teaching of science in universities. He said:

"Research is not the whole business of the professor, and I do not believe it wise to have a research laboratory for the professor of mere teaching. A man who is not engaged in teaching students cannot do his best, even while engaged in research. It is a pleasure for him to meet students and to tell them what he can, and a greater pleasure if he can make them understand him, and still greater pleasure if he can instill in them the same burning desire he feels for more knowledge."

GUTHRIE WILL SPEAK ON PITTSBURGH VICTORY

Municipal Government Will Be Talked of in Boston by Civic Leaders From Various Centers.

The eighth annual meeting of the National Municipal league and the tenth national conference for good government, to be held at Boston May 7, 8 and 9, will be attended by George W. Guthrie of this city, who will leave for Boston Wednesday evening. The meeting will be presided over by James C. Carter, one of the most prominent members of the New York bar, and the program of speakers includes some of the most notable men in the country.

Mr. Guthrie is announced to address the meeting on Friday morning on the subject of "The Pittsburgh Victory," and in the afternoon he is expected to make a brief address on a subject which he said yesterday he would decide upon while at the meeing, at Sanders theater, Harvard college. This meeting will be presided over by President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard university, and will be attended by many college men in addition to the members of the convention.

Among the prominent speakers are the Hon. J. A. Collins, mayor of Boston; Clinton Rogers Woodruff of Philadelphia, secretary of the National Municipal league; Prof. Charles Zueblin, president of the American League for Civic Improvement; Charles J. Bonaparte of Baltimore, and the Hon. E. A. Philbin, former district attorney of New York.

The headquarters of the league will be at the Hotel Brunswick, and the meetings will be held at the Twentieth Century club, Huntington hall, Pierce hall, Cambridge, and Sanders theater, Harvard university. Extensive arrangements have been made for the entertainment of the distinguished members of the convention, including a luncheon to the delegates and their wives by the corporation of Harvard university, a visit to Craigie house, at the invitation of Miss Alice W. Longfellow, and to Radcliffe college, at the invitation of Dean Irwin.

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DIVORCE LAWS ARE NOT STRICT ENOUGH TO SUIT

Presbyterian General Assembly Asked to Change Standard.

DESERTION IS NO CAUSE

Baltimore Pastor, Who Will Be Backed by the Rev. Dr. Lindsay of Allegheny, Says the Confession of Faith Should Be Amended.

A strong fight for the amendment of the Presbyterian confession of faith in regard to divorce, so that no cause shall be recognized by the church save infidelity, will be made before the general assembly of the Presbyterian body which meets in New York May 15. The fight is being led by the Rev. Dr. J. W. McIlvain of Baltimore and he will be assisted by the Rev. Dr. H. D. Lindsay, commissioner to the general assembly from the Allegheny presbytery.

A petition has been prepared by Dr. McIlvain for presentation to the supreme court of his church, and copies of this petition have been received in this city. The document asks for the amendment of the Confession of Faith by striking out the words "Or such willful desertion as can in no way be remedied by the church or civil magistrate." The elimination of these words would leave the divorce question in such shape that marriage could be annulled only on one ground.

In an argument in favor of the petition, Dr. McIlvain says: "Desertion is now common cause of divorce, but who can say that any separated couple cannot be brought together again? My great objection to desertion being a cause for divorce is that it is unscriptural. The Presbyterian church cannot afford to allow the impression to go forth that it is lax in this matter of divorce."

Several Presbyterian ministers in this city were seen yesterday in regard to this petition, but none of them cared to express his opinion until the general assembly had taken action.

Dr. Lindsay, however, said that he is heartily in accord with Dr. McIlvain in his argument that desertion is not sufficient cause for divorce. "We ought to be more guarded in this respect," he said. "Desertion is such a common motive that I myself sometimes suspect collusion between the interested parties. There could be no amendment of the Confession of Faith by the general assembly unless it were supported by two-thirds of the presbyteries of the country. I would suggest a quicker and more effective plan. Let a resolution be introduced in the assembly calling the attention of the ministers in every presbytery to the prevalence of 'desertion motive,' and that its tendency is to make a plaything of the marriage bond. In this resolution it could be urged upon the ministers to guard more cautiously the sacredness of family life. Unless we do it it will never be done."

Dr. Lindsay will probably have a conference with Dr. McIlvain before the assembly is called to order.

The Rev. Dr. R. B. Holmes, one of the commissioners of the assembly from this presbytery, said that, in his opinion, the Confession of Faith as it stands is quite sufficient. He refused to say what action he will take when the petition comes before the general assembly.

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You will realize in this sale the great evidence of Joyce's wonderful growth. If you are not already our customer this store will win your patronage because it deserves to have it—BECAUSE IT GIVES YOU THE BEST VALUES IN EXISTENCE! We have a staff of workers incessantly striving to obtain the greatest offerings and deals the market affords—no other force is so alert, so untiring in its efforts and so successful in your behalf.

OUR GRAND DISPLAY OF MILLINERY

is causing a sensation among the women shoppers of this section. We show in this department more of the stylish Trimmed Hats worn this season than any other two stores put together, and show them at prices that are from one-third to one-half those of other dealers! Save yourself the time, worry and expense of running all over town. Come direct to this store and make your purchase—you'll go home knowing that you have secured a bargain—that it would be impossible to secure elsewhere.

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(No. 314.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a main sewer through the property and along the right of way of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railway Co., First ward, from the Old Canal sewer north of Lacock street to the west line of Marion avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a main sewer through the property and along the right of way of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railway Co., First ward, from the Old Canal sewer north of Lacock street to the west line of Marion avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the City Recorder and the said Director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of Sewer Bonds.

Section 2—That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils this 29th day of April, A. D. 1902.

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City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., April 30, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.

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(No. 315.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a lateral sewer on Kleber street, Eleventh ward, from Westminster street to an unnamed alley south of Brighton road, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a lateral sewer on Kleber street, Eleventh ward, from Westminster street to an unnamed alley south of Brighton road, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the City Recorder and the said Director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

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(No. 316.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a lateral sewer on Westminster street, Eleventh ward, from an unnamed alley, along Kleber's west line to Kleber street, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a lateral sewer on Westminster street, Eleventh ward, from an unnamed alley, along Kleber's west line to Kleber street, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city recorder and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided.

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(No. 317.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a lateral sewer on an unnamed alley, along Kleber's west line, Eleventh ward, from Brighton road to Westminster street, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a lateral sewer on an unnamed alley, along Kleber's west line, Eleventh ward, from Brighton road to Westminster street, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city recorder and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided.

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(No. 322.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Bailey street, Eleventh ward, from Richardson avenue to new line of California avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading, paving and curbing of Bailey street, Eleventh ward, from Richardson avenue to new line of California avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city recorder and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided.

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(No. 318.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a lateral sewer on McClure avenue, Eleventh ward, from an unnamed alley along Kleber's west line to a point eighty (80) feet west of Kleber street, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a lateral sewer on McClure avenue, Eleventh ward, from an unnamed alley along Kleber's west line to a point eighty (80) feet west of Kleber street, is hereby authorized and ordered and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city recorder and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided.

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(No. 320.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Hopkins street, Fifth ward, from Chartiers street east 124 feet to an unnamed alley, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading, paving and curbing of Hopkins street, Fifth ward, from Chartiers street east 124 feet to an unnamed alley, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

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AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading of George alley, Sixth ward, from Rush street to Franklin street, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading of George alley, Sixth ward, from Rush street to Franklin street, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city recorder and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided.

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THE UNDERLYING CONCERNS ONLY ADD $6,249.83

Philadelphia Company Report Reflects Burden of Its Traction Monopoly.

GROSS EARNINGS HIGHER

Net Income of Underlying and Railway Companies Shows Slight Increase, With Gross Earnings, $5,505,943.69, Against $3,810,439.93.

The Philadelphia Company held its annual meeting at headquarters, No. 410 Wood street, yesterday at noon. Former Judge James H. Reed was re-elected president, and the old board of directors re-elected. The workings of the company with its new bureau of constituent traction, power, light and heat companies, owned or controlled, is reflected in the financial report submitted at the meeting. Gross earnings of underlying companies for a year, including the operations of the Pittsburgh Railway Company for the first quarter of the present year show $5,505,943.69. For the year ending with March, 1901, the gross earnings were $3,810,439.93.

While there is a sharp uplifting in these gross earnings of the last year through the operations of her new traction company for three months, the additional heavy cost of operations cuts into profits so that with the traction monopoly on its hands the Philadelphia Company only shows net income of $943,879.05, while the year before the net income was $937,629.22, an increase of only $6,249.83.

Figures on Earnings.

The statement presented at the stockholders' meeting yesterday gives the income account, with the heavy gross earnings and net income little above that of the year before for the Consolidated Gas Company, Allegheny Illuminating Company, Allegheny County Light Company, Union Gas Company of McKeesport, Equitable Gas Company, Chartiers Valley Gas Company, Braddock Gas and Light Company and Pittsburgh Railways Company. The statement of the year before, with its gross earnings, nearly $2,000,000 less, shows for the operation of the Consolidated Gas, Allegheny Illuminating, Allegheny County Light, Union Gas, Equitable Gas and United Traction companies.

The two statements reveal the following figures:

	Year ending March, 31, 1902.	Year ending March 31, 1901.
Gross earnings	$5,505,945 69	$3,810,439 93
Operating expenses and taxes	2,885,469 07	1,892,800 77
Net earnings	2,650,474 62	1,917,639 16
Other income	95,688 67	70,102 51
Total income	2,746,163 29	1,987,741 67
Deductions from income	65,235 35	62,468 95
	2,680,927 94	1,925,282 73
Fixed charges	1,737,048 89	987,653 51
Net income	943,879 05	937,629 22

Dividends Declared.

In explanation of the report for the year ending with March of this year it is said: "There have been declared out of the surplus for the year dividends to the amount of $383,500." A similar explanation in the annual report of the year before read: "There have been declared out of this surplus for the year dividends to the amount of $490,625."

Earnings from gas and oil operations of the Philadelphia Company proper are shown in the report read yesterday as $4,395,103 98, as against $2,651,439 65 last year. Surplus at the end of the year is given as $1,057,560 06, as against $804,849 80 the year before.

President Reed, in his report in behalf of the directors, announces that the efficiency of the traction lines will be largely increased this year by additional power and equipment. For this some time ago an appropriation of $2,000,000 was made. The report of the president says that 14 wells were purchased and 64 drilled in the year, 40 of the new wells being productive of gas, 10 of oil and five unproductive. Two wells were sold and 26 abandoned, making total wells owned and controlled by the company 503.

Improvements Made.

During the year 36¼ miles of pipe were reclaimed and 97 1-3 miles laid. Pipe lines now operated by the company are nearly 1,130 miles, and controlled, nearly 127. The company holds under lease 295,302⅜ acres of gas and oil territory in Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia, an increase in acreage over the year before of 57,881½ acres. There was sold 58,884,942,000 cubic feet of gas in the year, an increase of over 4,000,000,000 feet, adding receipts of $601,671 26. The telephone system was extended, making it over 400 miles of two-wire system and 17 of single.

Domestic consumers of natural gas numbering 6,057 were added to the list of the company and the Philadelphia Company now supplies 33,035 natural gas consumers and the Allegheny Heating Company 11,259.

Under the merger plan for the Consolidated Traction Company 232,622 shares out of 240,000 of the preferred and 245,409 out of the 300,000 of the common stock is held by the Philadelphia Company.

The directors re-elected yesterday are James H. Reed, James D. Callery, M. K. McMullin, T. H. Given and Joshua Rhodes of Pittsburgh; Patrick Calhoun of New York, H. J. Bowdoin of Baltimore, George H. Frazier and William L. Elkins of Philadelphia.

The directors will meet to organize probably tomorrow and are expected to continue the following officers: James D. Callery, vice president; W. B. Carson, secretary; C. J. Braun, Jr., treasurer; C. S. Mitchell, auditor; Joseph F. Guffey, general manager; J. K. Beatty, general superintendent; Matthew Bigger, general contracting and purchasing agent, and W. R. Truby, land agent.

WAIF HAS A ROMANCE.

Stolen by Relatives, She Is Abandoned at Albany—Will Be Restored to Her Parents.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 5.—A child about seven years of age, an inmate of a charitable institution here since April 5, when she was found alone and abandoned on the street, is believed by the local department of charities to be Margaret Vintin Taylor.

The child disappeared on August 3, 1898, and no trace of her was ever found. At the time she was visiting her grandparents at Fernbank, near Cincinnati, O., and the grandmother and aunt admitted they knew where the child was. They were indicted for child stealing and sentenced to serve a term in the penitentiary at Columbus, O.

The Ohio authorities have been informed by the Albany police that the child has been located here. The parents live at Bellevue, Ky.

Lawrence County Decree Affirmed.

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—In the supreme court today in the case of the city of New Castle vs. Central Telegraph Company, the decree of the common pleas court of Lawrence county was affirmed per curiam and the case remitted for final hearing.

LOCAL NEWS OF ALL PITTSBURGH

Three Cities, Forty-Five Boroughs, Twenty-Six Townships.
Population, 726,064. Area Square Miles, 316.22
Fifth in Volume of Bank Clearings.
Fourth in Rank Among Cities.

Policeman Burned—Frank Spires, a policeman in the Howard axle works, Homestead, was burned about the face and body by an explosion of natural gas in the plant yesterday.

Abused His Mother—Andrew Heise, 47 years of age, of No. 848 Vista street, Allegheny, was fined $25 yesterday for dragging his old mother about by the hair and otherwise abusing her.

Material Not Available—Owing to the contractor's inability to secure material, work on the construction of the new Homestead & Mifflin street car line from Homestead to Lincoln place has been stopped.

Secured No Plunder—Burglars entered the residence of Charles Gamble, No. 307 North avenue, Millvale, at 2 o'clock yesterday morning, but were frightened away by the screams of Mrs. Gamble.

Gypsies Near Sharpsburg—Sharpsburg was invaded yesterday afternoon by a troop of about 40 or 50 gypsies who came up the Butler plank road late in the afternoon, passed through Etna and Sharpsburg and camped in the Old Sugar grove, near Aspinwall.

Injuries Were Fatal—Charles Goldback, a miner, 38 years old, who was injured in the coal mines at Bridgeville on Saturday, died at the Mercy hospital yesterday afternoon from the effects of his injuries. He was crushed by a fall of slate.

Negro Held for Shooting—Samuel, alias "Kid" Kenney, the negro who shot Michael Lawlor in Kilbuck street, Allegheny, Saturday night, and who would have been lynched if the mob of over 1,000 had a leader, was held for court yesterday. Lawlor's wounds were slight.

Wanted Too Much—Joseph Blue was held for court yesterday on a charge of larceny. It is alleged that he went to the house of Mrs. Nancy Henderson, No. 5408 Webster avenue, on Sunday, and carried away a basket of provisions, and that soon after he returned for another load when he was captured.

Train Caused Death—Thomas McIntosh, 50 years old, who was injured at Pitcairn station yesterday morning by being struck by a train on the Pennsylvania railroad, died at the West Penn hospital last night from the effects of his injuries. His body was taken to the morgue.

Will Challenge Rabbi—R. Wise, a converted Jew, who has been conducting a series of religious meetings in the Wesley Methodist church, North Braddock, announced yesterday that he will challenge Rabbi J. L. Levy to a debate on the merits of Christianity when the latter speaks at a public meeting in Carnegie hall, Braddock, May 7.

Off for Louisville—Chief of Police William Bennett of Braddock, accompanied by his wife, left last evening for Louisville, Ky., to attend the annual meeting of the police chiefs of the United States and Canada, which will be held in that city May 7. Chief Bennett will read a paper on the benefits to be derived from the association.

Officers Recovering—Edward Westcott and Elias Peake, the Crafton policemen, who were beaten and shot by the robbers of Daub & Pressler's store last Wednesday night, will come to Pittsburgh on Thursday to attend the hearing of the men arrested. Peake was out yesterday and Westcott, who was shot in the leg, will be out Thursday.

Press Club Nominations—At the annual meeting of the Pittsburgh Press club last night Charles M. Schwab was elected a life member. The annual report, read by President Jackson D. Haag, showed the club to be in good financial shape. Jackson D. Haag was renominated for president without opposition and L. W. Strayer for vice president. The election will be held May 17.

May Issue Bonds—Homestead council last night passed a resolution to submit to the voters at a special election to be held July 12 an increase of the school bonded debt of the borough by $168,000. It is proposed to use $128,000 to retire floating indebtedness, $15,000 to take up an issue of bonds, $15,000 for improving the water system, and $15,000 for a garbage furnace.

Unknown Body Found—A body of an unknown man was found in the Monongahela river yesterday afternoon at the foot of Thirty-fourth street, South Side. The man was well dressed and was about 45 years old. From the appearance of the body it had been in the water for about two weeks. There was nothing on his person to identify him. A few pennies and a watch were found on his person.

Contagious Diseases—The bureau of health yesterday reported 18 new cases of typhoid fever, four in the Nineteenth ward, three in the Eleventh, two in the Twentieth, and one each in the Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Fourteenth, Eighteenth, Twenty-third, Twenty-ninth, Thirty-second and Thirty-eighth wards; 10 new cases of scarlet fever, four new cases of diphtheria in the Thirty-third ward and one new case of smallpox in the First ward.

Accused Himself of Crime—Joseph Funk was held for court yesterday on a charge of felonious wounding. He would have gone free if he had not talked so much, as the police had little evidence against him. On Tuesday night of last week Natalia Verstall was badly cut on the face while he was asleep in an Italian boarding house in Webster street. Verstall did not know who cut him, and would not have known if Funk had not broken down and told the story.

Milk Plant Started—Work was commenced yesterday on the plant of the Braddock Milk Company, which is to be erected in Second street, Braddock, by a number of Braddock milk dealers who have formed a stock company and will hereafter secure their milk supply from Ohio, owing to the high prices demanded for milk by the Westmoreland shippers, who recently formed a protective league and advanced the price of milk. The plant at Braddock is to cost $30,000 and will be modern in every particular.

A Painter Injured—A swinging scaffold, on which John Walker and H. C. Weston, two painters, were working at the parsonage of the German Lutheran church, Fifth street, Braddock, broke shortly before noon yesterday and both men fell to the ground. Walker was injured about the head, face and body and had a compound fracture of his left leg. Weston was uninjured, but received the contents of a gallon can of green paint, which he had considerable trouble removing from his person. Walker is 52 years old and lives in Claysville, Pa., where he was sent after the accident.

Fought in the Street—David Johnson, an Avalon contractor, and E. B. Conley of Park way, Allegheny, fought yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock about which should get on a street car first. The car was turning from Sixth avenue into Smithfield street, when both men attempted to get on. Each accused the other of crowding, and after they had come to blows on the car they adjourned to the street, where Johnson beat Conley over the head with an umbrella and Conley reached under and battered Johnson's face with his fists. Both were arrested and put up deposits of $50 each and were released.

WENT SOUTH TO WED.

Pittsburgher and His Bride-Elect Escape Jokes of Friends.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., May 5.—(Special.)—George Price Thayer, aged 35, of Pittsburgh, and Miss Elsie Mary Hamilton, aged 27, of Hollidaysburg, Pa., daughter of William H. Hamilton, arrived here this afternoon from Pittsburgh and were married by the Rev. John M. Richmond. The young couple left tonight for Nashville, where the groom is interested in the Bostock and Thayer Summer Park Amusement Supply Company.

Thayer's father is dead, but his mother, Mrs. Anna F. Thayer, lives in Washington, D. C.

Men's Tailoring—

Fifty Dollar Business Suits

A Bennett specialty—
No need to tell you they're worth more than fifty—
You're simply saving $10 to $15 on each suit—
Incidentally we would like to show you the new

Isle of Aaro Homespuns
Canadian Homespuns
Standen Cheviots

The looms don't produce any smarter cloths than these—

Men's Shirts—

The new imported Madras Cloths and Cheviots are exclusive designs and come, as a rule, in single shirt patterns—
Of course, the choicest of them are picked out first—
That's why we say, "Get your order in at the earliest possible moment—
A Bennett Shirt is a shirt that fits—and feels good all over—
The factory is already very busy on spring orders—

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Fifth and Wood.

AN HONEST FRIEND.

Cleared Away the Family Troubles.

There is not one thing on earth that could enter a family and do as much honest good and bring as much happiness as in certain cases where coffee drinking is left off and Postum Food Coffee used in its place.

A family in Iowa Park, Texas, furnishes a good illustration. The mother says, "I want to tell you what happened in our family when we left off coffee and took up Postum. About eight months ago we made the change. I had been, for quite a while, troubled with rheumatism in my right hip and shoulder, swimming of the head, and fluttering of the heart, so I thought I had heart trouble.

"Sometimes in walking my head would swim so that I would be obliged to sit down. I had other disagreeable feelings I cannot describe, but they will be readily understood by coffee drinkers if they will confess it.

"My family were also more or less ill and were all coffee drinkers. Well, we gave up the coffee and started in on Postum Food Coffee; husband, myself and four children. Even the two-year-old baby (she had been puny since having the grip) had her coffee along with the rest of the family. When we made the change to Postum she began to fatten and now is perfectly healthy and fat as a pig.

"My boys, ten and twelve years of age, are so stout and muscular that people remark about them and ask what makes them so. I do not have any more trouble with rheumatism or with my head; neither does my husband, who was troubled much in the same way. We are all in better health every way than we have been before in years and we are always glad of an opportunity to recommend Postum. I hope what I have said will lead others to make the change." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

DEATH OF YOUNG GIRL AN ACCIDENT

Belief Prevails That Edna Varna Was Killed While Playing With a Revolver.

Edna Varna, 13 years of age, a nurse in the family of F. S. Eagle, Forrest avenue, Avalon, was found dead in an upper room yesterday morning shot through the heart. At first it was thought to be suicide but later developments indicate that the girl killed herself accidentally.

The girl was a daughter of James Varna of Millerstown. Six months ago she and her three sisters and brother were driven from home and were found in Pollock township, Clarion county. The mother deserted them, and now the father is a fugitive, there being two indictments against him. The children were cared for by the Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania and placed in homes. Edna had been with the Eagles three months.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Eagle sent her to an upper room. Not returning she went up stairs and found her dead. Mrs. Eagle said last night that she is now confident that the girl was accidentally killed. She said that the child probably through curiosity picked up the pistol to examine it. A cartridge was found on the floor, which leads Mrs. Eagle to believe that the child dropped out the cartridges, and while attempting to put them in place so she could put the revolver back in the same condition where she had found it, accidentally discharged the weapon.

If it was a case of suicide it was probably because she could not have a picture of her sisters and brother. Last Saturday Mrs. Eagle brought her to Pittsburgh and while here they visited the office of the society having the care of the little ones, in the Hamilton building. The Rev. William H. Thompson, the agent, showed her a picture of the children, and she took it somewhat to heart because she could not have it.

BOY STARTS A FIRE.

Two Persons Perish and Several Badly Hurt in New York Conflagration.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Two persons perished and several were injured in a fire at 304 Pearl street, occupied by the Eureka Bedding Company. The dead are Emma Boltcher, 19 years of age, and John Lynch.

A boy was sweeping loose cotton over the floor and it is supposed that he swept the stuff over a lighted cigar or cigarette stub. The cotton burst into a blaze. The fire spread quickly throughout the first floor and mounted upward.

A panic ensued. Disregarding the fire escapes, many of the employes jumped from rear windows to the roof of an extension. In this way Miss Gilroy and Miss Wadsworth were hurt. The bodies of Miss Boltcher and Lynch were found on the top floor, death having resulted from burns and suffocation.

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DEATHS.

AMMON—On Sunday, May 4, 1902, at 12 p. m., at Philadelphia, CHRISTINA W. AMMON, wife of August Ammon. Funeral services at the First Presbyterian church, Wood street, Pittsburgh, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private at a later hour.

AMMON—On Monday, May 5, 1902, at 1:05 p. m., AUGUST AMMON, in the 74th year of his age. Funeral services at the First Presbyterian church, Wood street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private at a later hour.

Remains at his late residence, corner Maryland, avenue and Howe street, until noon on Wednesday.

CAIN—On Monday, May 5, 1902, at 8 a. m., at the family residence, 4631 Winthrop street, HENRY RANDOLPH, youngest son of Mrs. G. E. Cain, aged 5 years, 10 months. Interment on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

GEIB—On Monday, May 5, 1902, at 9:10 a. m., KATHERINE DEWALD, wife of Jacob Geib, Sr., aged 74 years, 8 months, 5 days. Funeral services at her late residence, Bailey avenue, Mt. Washington, Thirty-second ward, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Mt. Lebanon cemetery.

HYAMS—At her residence, 81 Elm street, MRS. SALLIE HYAMS, wife of Samuel Hyams, aged 51 years. Funeral this afternoon. Interment private at Chartiers cemetery.

KANE—On Monday, May 5, 1902, at 4:50 a. m., JERMIA, wife of James Kane of No. 76 Grace street, Thirty-second ward, Pittsburgh, aged 43 years. Funeral from St. Mary's of the Mount church at 9 o'clock on Wednesday morning.

M'COMBS—On Sunday, May 4, 1902, at 9:15 p. m., EDWARD T., husband of Paine Brezler McCombs, aged 25 years, 2 months. Funeral from his late residence, 899 East street extension, Allegheny, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. (Indiana (Pa.) papers please copy.)

M'FARLAND—On Sunday, May 4, 1902, at 2:30 a. m., MARY E. HANAN, wife of Joseph R. McFarland, aged 32 years. Funeral from St. Mary's of the Mount church at 9 o'clock this morning.

NAISMITH—On Saturday, May 3, 1902, at 12 o'clock, midnight, ELIZABETH NAISMITH (nee Cleland), wife of Samuel Naismith, aged 33 years. Funeral from the family residence, 5120 Carnegie street, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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FOURTEEN PAGES.

For a Glorious Fourth.

May day is past and the time is ripe to begin preparations for a good, old-fashioned celebration of the Fourth of July with modern accessories. Recorder Brown ought to lose no time about appointing committees to arrange for afternoon speakers, evening fireworks and the other essential features of a fitting observance of the nation's birthday. The time of Pittsburgh's unparalleled prosperity should be marked by its greatest patriotic demonstration.

The suggestion may be offered that it is possible to have the president of the United States come and participate in our celebration. It has never been the fortune of Pittsburgh to have a president as orator on the Fourth of July, but an early and urgent invitation might interest Mr. Roosevelt in this wonderful industrial city, every citizen of which bears him friendly goodwill. If that should be the case it would not be a difficult matter to secure all the ordinary adjuncts for the greatest Fourth of July celebration in the history of Pittsburgh, and it has had some worth remembering.

German Votes and a Foreign Question

One Dr. Hexamer yesterday told a committee of congress that unless a resolution is adopted asking the president to communicate to Great Britain a resolution of sympathy with the Boers it will mean a loss of 1,000,000 German votes to the Republicans.

We think the doctor errs. He probably does not know the story of the man who undertook to deliver carloads of frogs, basing the estimate of the available supply on the noise he heard coming from a frog pond. It isn't worth while to say more concerning his success than that after hard work his delivery was made in a small basket. Similarly Dr. Hexamer has mistaken noise (possibly of his own making at that) for numbers. When he endeavors to round up his 1,000,000 German votes he will not find them there.

In the first place, German votes are not deliverable in bulk. The German is a thinking being, who casts his own vote. In the second place, the Germans who have votes in the United States cast them on American questions and not on South African or English questions. The American voter of German birth or German descent is first of all an American, and he thinks his own thoughts. When Dr. Hexamer or any other person undertakes to round him up and vote him he assumes an impossible task. The goods can't be delivered. The Germans who vote the Republican ticket do so for good and sufficient reasons. They will not vote away American prosperity because of a foreign question that does not touch America at any point.

Anti-Americans Answered.

The speech of Senator Lodge in the United States senate yesterday was a timely presentation of facts, and an able exposition of the relation of incidents and events in the Philippines to the policy of the administration. The senator very properly declared that while having no defense to make of cruelties and tortures alleged to have taken place, the great provocation given American soldiers is not to be overlooked in bestowing condemnation. Cruelty and torture are no parts of the American policy and they are the exception and not the rule in the dealings of the soldiers with the natives, though the American soldiers have been victims of all sorts of cruelty and treachery at the hands of the natives. Men so reckless as to fall into the hands of Filipinos have had their ears cut off and have been otherwise mutilated; have been disemboweled; have been driven into rivers to drown and have been shot to death as they were drowning; have been tied to trees and stoned to death by women and children; have been buried alive and have been boiled while suffering the wounded. The massacre of Balangiga is one of the blackest chapters in the history of warfare, and is a sample of the dangers that have beset the Americans in many places in the islands. None of these things have stirred the critics of the administration to oratory in behalf of the American soldier, but at the mention of isolated applications of the so-called "water cure" they are moved to torrents of eloquence against all the defenders of the American flag and the promoters of American progress. The anti-Americans hurt their own cause by their one-sidedness. They seek opportunities to attack their own country and their own countrymen. It is natural that such a course should react on them. The heart of the American people beats for the American soldier. No wrong act he does will be approved, but such acts, if is well known, are mere isolated incidents of warfare. The general course of Americans in the Philippines is in harmony with the will of the American people, receiving its impulse from that will and pulsating with it. It is, therefore, impossible that Americans in the Philippines should go wrong en masse, or that any of them should go wrong for long. The public opinion of the United States is the controlling force wherever the flag waves. At home or beyond seas it is a control that works for the welfare of humanity. It does so in the Philippines as well as here, and the cruelties the Democrats seek to make capital of are the exceptions that prove the rule. The American people will heartily applaud the answer that Senator Lodge has made to the attacks on Americans and American policy.

Must Burst Bounds or Smother.

Pittsburgh has reached a point in its development where it must burst its narrow bounds or smother. It must build on a broad foundation for the future or shrivel up and live on the glory of the present, content to watch the procession go by rather than aspire to lead it. The limit has been nearly reached on lines that have been followed heretofore.

The Gazette has made a full exposition of the freight congestion in the Pittsburgh district, complaints of shippers and difficulties of the railroads. Radical remedies must be applied if new industries are to be invited to enjoy the advantage of nearness to our matchless fuel beds. This morning we have an article on the congestion of the streets of the business district of the city. Of course there is not an inhabitant who walks abroad who is unaware of the crowded condition of the streets, or a patron of the trolley roads who is not painfully conscious of the congestion upon them.

The time is within the easy range of memory when Allegheny was the most desirable residence district of the city. The introduction of cable roads and a broad municipal policy turned the tide to the East End, where there has been marvelous growth during the past 15 years. The pressure for business room down town is bound to drive the remaining residents from this portion of the city and there must be better facilities for getting them and other people to and from their homes out toward the boundaries. The shortage of homes noticeable during the past few years will not long survive a loosening of the thongs that keep population within specific limits. More rapid transit on the surface is a practical impossibility. Relief must be found in elevated or underground structures, or both.

To provide for another 15 years' growth like that of the past 15 the railroads must nearly double their capacity. To do this they must have liberal concessions from the city—to be paid for, of course. To meet the present situation and look to the future the municipality itself must broaden its policy in almost everything. Greater and better water supply; cleaner and better streets; honest and fair treatment for corporations seeking privileges to give increased facilities to the community.

That era in Pittsburgh when it began to have rapid surface transit; acquire parks and build boulevards, stands as an example of what broadening does for a city. No one thought then that Pittsburgh would so soon reach the limit of its facilities, but that spurt of civic spirit has been followed by phenomenal expansion in every direction. The need of the moment is for a broader outlook. The experience of the past is a guide but not a measure for the future. Pittsburgh is either on the threshold of a new life of unexampled activity, to be fostered by a liberal policy, or it is on the verge of a period of strangulation.

It is for the men of affairs to decide which it shall be.

The Flurry in Wall Street.

Wall street has had another of its spasms, but the visitation was not so severe as the one which gave financiers the cold shivers last May. As the anniversary of the Northern Pacific corner approached, men interested in the market for securities began to fear that something of the sort might happen this year. Banking institutions trimmed their sails for a storm. Wise brokers warned their customers not to go too far from shore. Doubtless these preparations had a wholesome effect, so that when some lively pyrotechnics came off in a certain group of stocks the perturbation in the rest of the list was comparatively small. Three stock brokerage firms were unable to meet their obligations yesterday, but the business of the day showed no such alarm as was manifested a year ago. Wall street stood the strain remarkably well, indicating great solidity in present business conditions.

The Water Inquiry.

The committee investigating the water supply of Pittsburgh should have a valuable fund of information accumulated for the use of councils when it has completed its labors. The committee is not confining itself to the subject of the supply furnished by the city, but is about to extend its inquiry into the districts supplied by water companies, for the purpose of ascertaining how the people in those sections are being cared for. The South Side, the West End and a portion of the East End are supplied by corporations that do business for profit, and it will be interesting and valuable to have a comparison of their operations and services with those of the city water department. For the purpose of learning everything possible about the city's own supply a general invitation has also been issued to everybody to come forward and give any information that may be deemed of use to the committee. The water question is one of the most important before the people; one that concerns every man, woman and child. Something of practical value should develop from the inquiry now in progress. Much depends on the committee whether anything does develop, and more will depend on councils.

When the price of meat was being forced up every fraction of a cent added by the wholesalers was made the occasion for an advance of a cent or more on the part of the retailers. It was naturally expected that a decrease in wholesale rates would be followed by a corresponding reduction to the consumers, but it has developed that the rule which applies to meat prices doesn't work both ways.

The death of Peter J. Otey, congressman from the Sixth Virginia district, removes from the national halls of legislation one of the brightest men in the southern contingent. He was a genial, whole souled Virginia gentleman and an ardent believer in the principles of the Democratic party.

During all this muss over the Philippines the sultan of Sulu goes on drawing his salary and refusing to be quoted for publication.

Now that the incident is closed would it not be a good idea to have that Italian cafe manager do some apologizing on his own account.

If General Funston is doing any talking these days he is taking a hand in the conversation in some deaf and dumb asylum.

If there is an actor or actress who is not scheduled to sail for Europe within the next six weeks we have failed to catch the name.

The weather bureau might save time and some embarrassment by making the "probably rain" prediction a standing order for May.

The relative merits of the various airships seem to be mainly a question of gas. Of course, this is not meant to include the work of the press agents.

Mr. Bryan says he will act as Aaron if some other fellow will take the Moses job off his hands.

Senator McLaurin seems determined to fight it out on that line if it takes all summer and part of the fall.

Mr. Bryan's Cuban assignment will at least give him an opportunity of seeing how a president is inaugurated.

Calve says she is not coming back to America next year. It must be remembered that Calve is her own press agent.

WALL STREET IS UNDISTURBED BY THE FAILURES

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Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, May 5.

Wall street was not so much concerned over the failures of today as might have been expected. It was understood that the complications in the Webb-Meyer stocks would result in some breakdowns here and there, and when three suspensions were announced before the opening of the stock exchange, the street nodded its collective head, as if to say "Of course." Suspensions in Wall street are conducted in a matter-of-fact way. Customers of the firms went around this morning to do business and found the rooms closed, with clerks in attendance to tell them that there was a temporary stoppage of action. Although the failures may mean the beggary of some people, they did not create much excitement in the financial district. One of the failures had been expected since Friday, so that the trouble, when it did come, was discounted. Money was tight, at 20 per cent. That, naturally, had a strong effect on the market, and was the phase of the situation talked about more than anything else. More than $1,000,000 of Vanderbilt money went into Wall street today to relieve the stringency, and it saved further trouble, according to the men who have their fingers on the financial pulse of the city. According to President J. Edward Simmons of the Fourth National bank of New York, the trouble is about over, and there is no fear of any New York banks being troubled by it. President Simmons says that the flurry has been a good thing for the general situation, because it will stop wildcat speculation and tend to conservative dealing. There is no comparison between the shake-up of the street today and the panic of a year ago. This is only a small disturbance. The break on the 9th of May, 1901, was a catastrophe. It is supposed that the firms which went to the wall today will recover in a short time, and that the whole trouble in Wall street for the last few days will pass speedily into history as one of those ebullitions which are interesting while they last, but have no permanent influence upon the business of the country.

From Tabernacle to Public Hall.

Work has begun on demolishing the Broadway Tabernacle, at Thirty-fourth street and Broadway. The members of this famous old church have been holding to their edifice, even after it was sold, and one or two public meetings were held there last week—that of Ellen M. Stone's lecture being one of them. But at last it is shut up. No more services will be held in the dear old place. Mendelssohn hall, in West Fortieth street, once one of the handsomest halls in the city, has been engaged by the Tabernacle membership, and regular services will be held there every Sunday until a permanent home has been obtained.

Humorist Wilder Rich in Cousins.

Miss Mildred Devere, an exceptionally beautiful girl, whom Marshall P. Wilder claims as a cousin, has been chosen by the managers of the St. Louis exposition in 1904 as the model for an idealized incarnation of that city. She will be reproduced in silver, life-size, as was Maude Adams, and her face and figure will be seen in poster-work, after the style of the famous poster showing the sprite of Niagara Falls issued by the Buffalo exposition. Miss Devere is declared to have an absolutely perfect figure, as well as a face of surpassing beauty. She is in New York as a member of a current theatrical attraction. Wilder says he is having a lot of fun taking Miss Devere and another handsome cousin of his in the same company, Miss Belle Desmond, about New York. There is a quiet suspicion among the little humorist's friends that half the pretty girls in New York are his cousins, judging by the frequency with which he is seen with charming maidenhood in theaters and other public places.

Nixon or Croker?

The question whether Lewis Nixon really is the head of Tammany keeps on coming up. Nixon says he is. To sustain his assertion his secretary today made public an extract from a letter from Richard Croker, reading: "I should like to have you pay me a visit this summer, but it would only give another opportunity to our enemies to say that you came for orders. Later on, when it is fairly understood that Lewis Nixon is leader of Tammany Hall, come and see me." This secretary, whose name is Smith, by the way, declares that all the stories of Croker's intention to come back to New York in August are incited by John C. Sheehan for the purpose of making trouble in the hall. Still, if Croker really has given up New York politics for good and all, what need he care what his "enemies" say?

The Wild West in Brooklyn.

Buffalo Bill's "Wild West" has moved to Brooklyn and will stay there a week before starting on the road. Pittsburgh will have it before very long.

A Popular Diplomat.

Considerable pleasureable excitement has been awakened in New York clubdom over the appointment of Craig Wadsworth to be third secretary of the embassy at London. Craig is a very popular New Yorker, and, as is generally known, is an intimate personal friend of President Roosevelt. He is a member of several important clubs in this city, including the Knickerbocker, Union and Metropolitan. He is also prominent in society and is a dashing polo player.

Meat Shipments Falling Off.

Beef did not go higher today, but it is thought prices will remain where they are until the middle of June. At that time the first shipments of grass-fed cattle from Texas are due. Less than half the usual shipments of meat arrived by rail today. They comprised 13 carloads of sheep and lambs and six carloads of cattle. Meanwhile, the cost of a portion of meat in restaurants is from 5 cents to 25 cents higher than it used to be, and vegetarians are more insistent than ever they were.

New Things Theatrical.

The new things at the theaters tonight included George W. Lederer's musical comedy, "The Wild Rose," at the Knickerbocker; Edward E. Rice's musical skit, "The Show Girl," at Wallack's, and Dan Daly in "The New Yorkers," at the Grand opera house. The last named is not new in New York, having run at the Herald Square for some months, but it was a fresh offering on the West Side. Mrs. Fiske will revive "Tess of the d'Urbervilles" at the Manhattan tomorrow evening.

Preparing for Duquesne Garden Season

John B. Reynolds of Pittsburgh and Charles Drew, the comic opera comedian, are two busy men in New York theatricals. Mr. Drew is planning to give Pittsburghers one of the biggest seasons of comic and grand opera in the history of the Duquesne garden. Mr. Reynolds, who will be the press representative at the garden, is also taking a hand in the arrangements. The opera company will arrive in Pittsburgh to begin rehearsals about three weeks before the opening. The organization is a strong one, including Miss Edith Mason, for years the star of the Castle Square Opera Company; Thomas Persee, the well-known tenor; Mary Carrington, Charles Drew, Richard Harlow, the original Isabella in "1492," and a chorus of 40 picked voices. A striking characteristic of the repertoire will be a marked tendency toward musical comedy, such as "The Belle of New York," "1492" and other metropolitan successes. Mr. Reynolds tells me confidentially that it will be the best summer stage entertainment Pittsburgh has ever seen.

New Office for the Chauffeur.

Chauffeurs have a new sphere of action open to them at public expense. The municipal civil service commission has created the office of locomobile engineman and will examine candidates for the position on Friday week. There are two vacancies for men that can run a locomobile engine in the department of docks and ferries. What the locomobiles are used for in the dock department is not explained; but so many horseless carriages are abroad in this city that it would be strange, indeed, if there were none under the control of the dock commissioner. New York is pretty nearly automobile mad.

Bronx Inhabitants Shocked.

Bare-armed and bare-legged athletes who take part in a cross-country run would do well to keep out of the Bronx. Eight young fellows tested their speed and endurance in a run of this kind yesterday, and the sight of their bare limbs wrought upon the nerves of a saloonkeeper and other delicate residents of the upper part of town. The saloonkeeper caused their arrest. They were arraigned today before Magistrate Meade, who seemed to have a fellow-feeling with the athletes and, perhaps, had taken part in cross-country runs himself at times. At all events he discharged them all, somewhat to the disgust of the gentle saloon man. Almost any kind of sport "goes" in the Bronx on a Sunday, but it is not likely that cross-country runs will be as popular there as they have been. The next time there is an arrest of this kind the magistrate may not be so lenient.

Emma Goldman Escapes the Police.

Herr Most and a large following of his frowsy-whiskered disciples were in the Essex Market police court today. Most and William MacQueen were arrested last night for making anarchistic speeches in a hall on the East Side. Most already has been sentenced to a year's imprisonment for a previous offense, and the meeting last night was understood to be a sympathetic demonstration on the part of his friends. The police interfered, however, and the consequence was that Herr Most and MacQueen had to make an appearance in court, after spending the night in cells. Their case was put over until Wednesday. Meanwhile the unsavory crowd that went to court to see how their prophets would fare at the hands of justice were compelled to keep very quiet in court, and were warned to behave themselves after they got out. One startling fact made public in the course of the proceedings was that the notorious Emma Goldman made a fiery speech in the same East Side hall a week or two ago. If the police only had known there might have been another sensational arrest.

Matthews to Lecture in England.

Columbia students who have been in Prof. Brander Matthews' class of dramatic culture tendered the preceptor a farewell dinner tonight. The professor will sail for England on the St. Paul on the 15th inst. He has been invited to deliver a course of lectures before the Royal Institute of Great Britain on the development of English drama. His first lecture will be on May 24 and he will speak for two successive Saturdays thereafter. The title of his lectures will be, respectively, "The Art of the Dramatist," "The Drama in the Middle Ages," and "The Drama Under Elizabeth." Prof. Matthews is extremely popular with the men of Columbia, and the dinner tonight was a jolly affair in every respect.

Young Boer in American University.

Among the students at Columbia university is a young Boer whose father has taken an active part in the war with Great Britain. The Columbia lad would like to go home to the Transvaal on a visit, but has been unable to do so on account of the unsettled conditions over there. He does not know whether he would find his father at his old home or not. The general impression that the Boers care little for education is not borne out by this young fellow at Columbia. He is one of the brightest men in his class. He says that many of his young countrymen will come over to American universities and schools as soon as the war has ended. They regard the educational machinery of this country as superior to any other in the world.

Button Man Takes to Theatricals.

"Bim," the button man, intends to go in for theatricals on a wholesale scale. He made a lot of money out of the campaign selling patriotic and other buttons that he put on the market, and can afford to invest heavily in anything that suits his fancy. He made a small fortune out of the Dewey buttons alone, when the hero of Manila came home from his triumph in Manila bay. "Bim" is at the head of the company which is building the new West End theater in Harlem, and has, besides, organized the Odeon Amusement Company. Contracts have been closed to build adjoining the theater building a music hall with a seating capacity of 1,500, which is to be devoted to vaudeville. There are to be a roof garden and a rathskeller, and it is understood that "Bim" himself is to entertain his friends nightly with his now famous laugh, which he has been advised to have copyrighted. The building is expected to be completed by the end of the present year.

GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.

W. Witherow. A. S. Bevmer.
P. Donnelly. E. J. Frauenheim.
G. Reilly. J. C. Reilly.
Miss J. M. Reilly. Mr. Carnegie.
Mrs. M. Carnegie. Mrs. J. L. Oliver.
Miss E. Oliver. R. Beery.
Miss Shields. T. J. McKee.
D. Lloyd. F. L. Robbins.
A. Campbell. E. Reilly.
Misses Reilly. W. W. Smith.
L. Vilsack. J. G. Vilsack.
Miss Vilsack. Mrs. A. J. Hopkins.
W. Soeffer. A. J. Soeffer.

MARLBOROUGH.

T. L. Ellis.

HERALD SQUARE.

H. F. Petgen. M. O. Coggins.
Mrs. M. O. Coggins. H. A. Low.
W. H. Stott. Mrs. W. H. Stott.
W. H. Mace. Charles H. Sachs.

BELVEDERE.

Mrs. F. W. Mueller. F. W. Mueller.

IMPERIAL.

William C. Lynne. J. A. Frauenheim.
George H. Bailey. Charles A. Poth.
Charles W. Saxman. J. H. Kunkel.
A. E. Arthur.

VICTORIA.

W. A. Aiken. H. A. Webster.
J. Alexander.

HOLLAND.

W. L. Clark. Miss W. H. Reed.
John N. Beatty. Mrs. W. L. Clark.
W. D. Corcoran. A. Bryan Wall.
Mrs. W. D. Corcoran.

FIFTH AVENUE.

Thomas W. Welsh, Jr. J. C. McDowell.
Mrs. John H. Smithey. John H. Smithey.
D. T. McCabe.

ASTOR.

J. T. Wilson. John Costello.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Mr. and Mrs. August A. Ammon.

In hospitals almost 400 miles apart August A. Ammon and his wife, Mrs. Christinne K. Ammon, died yesterday within 12 hours of each other. Mr. Ammon died at the West Penn hospital at 1:05 o'clock yesterday afternoon and his wife died in a hospital in Philadelphia the midnight preceding.

Shortly after 8 o'clock yesterday morning Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon, the wife of Attorney Samuel A. Ammon, received a telephone message from Philadelphia stating that Mrs. Ammon had died at midnight. Inside of 30 minutes Mrs. Ammon was in receipt of another telephone message from the West Penn hospital telling her that August A. Ammon had taken a sudden change for the worse at 7 o'clock and was in a dying condition. When the members of the family reached the hospital Mr. Ammon was sinking rapidly, and although conscious enough to recognize all his relatives, he was not apprised of the death of his wife a few hours before.

Mr. Ammon rapidly sank and died at 1:05 o'clock. After his death his sons in New York were notified of his demise and they telegraphed word that the body of Mrs. Ammon would arrive in Pittsburgh this morning. The bodies of husband and wife will be taken to the former Ammon home at the corner of Howe street and Maryland avenue today, and will lie side by side until 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, when a double funeral will be held from the First Presbyterian church.

The funeral arrangements thus far are incomplete. The Rev. Dr. Maitland Alexander, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, and of the city at present, is expected home this morning. If he arrives he will conduct the funeral services. In case the Rev. Dr. Alexander does not return to Pittsburgh in time, the funeral exercises will, in all probability, be conducted by the Rev. Dr. David R. Breed of the Western Theological seminary of Allegheny. The Rev. Robert E. Young will assist in the service and the interment will be made in Homewood cemetery in a lot selected by Mr. Ammon last fall.

August A. Ammon was one of the best known residents of Pittsburgh. He was a resident of the South Side for many years, and later removed to the East End. He was born in Markmonkirchen, Saxony, June 1, 1828, and came to the United States at the age of 20 years.

He settled in Malaga, New Jersey, and several years after married Miss Christinne W. Kilnle of Philadelphia. Two years after their marriage they moved to the South Side, Pittsburgh, where they lived for many years. Eleven children were born to the couple.

On coming to Pittsburgh Mr. Ammon was first employed by McCullough's glass works in the South Side. He was elected the first burgess of the borough of East Birmingham, and was later an alderman of the Twenty-fifth ward. During his residence in Shanti French born quartet, Messrs. A. Horner, J. Bacher, Jr., Rene Pfeiffer, O. Boehlke and Selection from "The Idol's Eye" ..... Herbert

INTERMISSION.

Overture, "Die Freischutz" ..... Weber
Grand Fantasie from "La Boheme" ..... Puccini
Two entre acts from "Carmen" ..... Bizet
Ride of the Valkyrie ..... Wagner

INTERMISSION.

Toreador et Andalouse ..... Rubinstein
In a Cozy Corner (new) ..... Bratton
Waltz, "Southern Roses" ..... Strauss
March from "The Fortune Teller" ..... Herbert

Champion Riders.

The 23 champion bareback riders of the world are all with one show this year. The term champion is used in all seriousness, and it is claimed as an indisputable fact that there is not with all the other shows one rider who is the equal to any one of these 23 champions. Of course there is only one show that has the capital necessary to create such a monopoly of champion riders, the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Enormous Shows United. They will exhibit in Pittsburgh next Friday and Saturday, May 9 and 10.

Mrs. Campbell's Repertoire.

Mrs. Patrick Campbell and her London company, which come to the Alvin theater next week, will appear in the following repertoire: Monday and Friday evenings and Wednesday matinee, "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray;" on Tuesday and Thursday nights, "The Notorious Mrs. Ebbsmith;" on Wednesday and Saturday nights, "Magda;" on Saturday matinee, "Beyond Human Power."

Henry G. Williams Dead.

Henry G. Williams, 85 years old, one of the oldest puddlers in this section, died yesterday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. M. Weibel, No. 221 Clifton avenue, Sharpsburg, of old age. He was a native of South Wales and came to the United States 60 years ago. He was a member of the Sharpsburg Baptist church and is survived by three daughters.

August A. Ammon.

MUSIC REIGNS SUPREME IN LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Alvin—Bostonians in "Maid Marian."

Sheriff of Nottingham ..... Henry Clay Barnabee
Little John ..... W. H. Macdonald
Robin Hood ..... Frank Rushworth
Will Scarlett ..... Allen C. Hinckley
Friar Tuck ..... George B. Frothingham
Alan-a-Dale ..... Adele Ratter
Guy of Gisbourne ..... W. H. Fitzgerald
Dame Durden ..... Josephine Bartlett
Giles ..... I. J. Fennessy
Geoffrey ..... W. J. Sullivan
Tuppit ..... J. J. Martin
Sir Ib. Van De Vare ..... Albert Wilder
Sir Hugh Montford ..... Henry Brown
Messenger ..... Harry Dale
Herald ..... Albert Watson
Amida, a snake charmer ..... Helene Gordon
Lady Vivian ..... Belle Harper
Maid Marian ..... Grace Van Studdiford

Mr. Reginald DeKoven and his copartner in musical endeavor, Mr. Harry B. Smith, are pleased to designate "Maid Marian," which was given its first local hearing at the Alvin last night, as a sequel to "Robin Hood." The designation is quite an injustice to that charming opera in which the Bostonians won so many musical and humorous triumphs. The principal offender in thus indirectly putting "Robin Hood" into bad company, is Mr. Smith. Mr. DeKoven's music is sometimes admirable if rather wholly free from reminiscence, but Mr. Smith's libretto is lamentably weak and is not given even the semblance of strength that it possesses through the extraordinary talents of several of its interpreters.

The story of the opera takes up the fortunes of Maid Marian, Robin Hood, and all the well-remembered people of the first DeKoven opera, at the point where Robin and the Maid were betrothed. Robin has left the Maid on the eve of her wedding and has entrusted her with charge of his estate, and has commissioned Friar John of Tuck to look after her in case she should need a friend. He then goes to join in the holy war of the Crusaders. The letter left by Robin for Little John is purloined by the sheriff of Nottingham, who substitutes a forged missive, and having poisoned her mind against the absent Robin Hood, leaves her in a state of fear and trembling. The opportune arrival of Friar Tuck and a merry outfitting of Sherwood forest and their embarkation for the holy wars, being the end of the first act.

The life and the crusades is depicted in act second and it is narrated how Maid Marian has been captured by the Saracens and sold to slavery. Her subsequent rescue by Robin Hood and the arrival of the sheriff of Nottingham and Guy of Gisbourne, disguised as merchants, and their arrival at the Christian camp in the hands of the Saracens furnishes another principal incident in this act. Friar Tuck, disguised as an odalisque, and the reception of Dame Durden by the wily sheriff, who does not expect the lady, adds merriment to the incident. The return of the principals to England, the satisfaction of the sheriff to find Robin Huntington castle against its rightful owner; the revels at the Christmas eve and his subsequent overthrow by Robin Hood, and the latter's union with Maid Marian, make a series of interesting pictures.

There are three acts, the first showing the park surrounding the earl of Huntington's castle, the second being the camp of the crusaders and the third the banquet hall of Huntington castle on Christmas day. All these are staged beautifully and effectively and add no little to the charm of the production. This is especially true of the second and third acts, which are marvels of the scenic artists' skill, the camp of the crusaders being a picture of beautifully blended and inspiring color effect, and the banquet hall at Christmas time, with its snowstorm seen through the window, is a fine example of old English comfort.

Musically Mr. DeKoven has run much to solos, and in his endeavor to provide a large cast of principals with something by which their distinctive talents might be gauged, has possibly overdone this particular department of his work, though some of these are quite beautiful and possess the one distinguishing excellence of the composition as a whole. The choruses and finales are impressive, but are too nearly reminiscent of what has gone before in his enthusiasm. Some of the concerted numbers were full of brisk movements and bright color. "The Dew on the Heather," solo and chorus, was a striking example of Mr. DeKoven's peculiar art of blending effects. "Under the Mistletoe Bough" was another beautiful and catchy chorus of the light and graceful kind. A quintet in the second act, "Love," was received with tears (warm of measure, and it deserved it, for it was one of the best numbers of the opera. A duet between Maid Marian and Robin Hood in the last act with a similar theme, caught the favor of the audience, but more because of the splendid way in which Miss Van Studdiford, the prima donna of the company, sang it than high notes. Of the singers Miss Van Studdiford carried off the honors with a voice that is remarkably strong and accurate in range and sweetness. One of the regrets of the evening was that Miss Adele Ratter, as Alan-a-Dale, was given so little to do. Her one solo, "Tell Me Again Sweetheart," was finely sung. Third in order of voice excellence, and possibly ranking first as an actress, is Miss Belle Harper, who is a beautiful blonde and sings in a voice of great melody, if not great strength. Miss Harper is a clever little soubrette and won the hearts of the audience by her gracious charm of both voice and manner.

Of the old members of the company Barnabee, Fitzgerald, McDonald, Frothingham, Rushworth and Hinckley were welcomed for what they have done, as well as for their effort they made their last night to impart life and musical worthiness to this successor of "Robin Hood." Barnabee is as ever seriocomically funny. As far as Mr. Murray B. Sawtelle has allowed him he reincarnates the amusing personality of the sheriff of Nottingham, though some of his wit is quite as ancient as that crafty old fellow is supposed to be. McDonald sings with a somewhat less pleasing voice, though he still retains the old dash and fire of other days. Frothingham is exceedingly funny and takes his same old liberties with Friar Tuck. Mr. Hinckley has a voice second only to that of Cowles, while Mr. Rushworth sings with the poorest voice in the company.

"Tonight, Tonight, Code of Little John" will be sung by Mr. W. McDonald Dorrington, son of J. B. Dorrington of the Pittsburgh railroad, and a nephew of W. H. McDonald of the Bostonians. Mr. Dorrington was a leading key of the University of Pennsylvania Glee club in 1893, and when he makes his Pittsburgh debut with the Bostonians tonight will be heard by a body of 250 of the alumni and undergraduates of his alma mater.

Grand—"Don Caesar de Bazan,"

Don Caesar De Bazan ..... Wm. Ingersoll
Don Jose De Santarem, prime minister ..... John Waldron
Charles II., king of Spain ..... Wm. Terrance
The Marquis De La Rotunda ..... Charles Abbe
Don Diego ..... Joseph Wighaman
Don Pedro ..... Walter Ware
Don Manuel ..... Joseph Murphy
The Judge ..... John Jones
The captain of the Royal Guard ..... Wilton Taylor
Pacolo ..... Willis Martin
Nerea ..... Jennie Harris
A young soldier ..... Thomas McGuire
A beggar ..... Emmett Frazier
An old man ..... Dennie Harris
Maria Jose, a flower girl ..... Stella Mohr
Marchioness De La Rontunda ..... Alice Gale
Lazarillo, apprentice to the Armora ..... Marion Ballou

Pictorially the Grand opera house production of "Don Caesar de Bazan" this week outranks either of the previous views we have had this winter of the Imperial de Spanish garland. In other respects the play is hardly less dull, except in the lack of movement and vim with which the several parts are played. Mr. Huffman has given the piece lavish stage treatment, its various scenes being perfect pictures of well harmonized color effect, both as to costumes and settings. Beyond this the performance is distinctly uninteresting. Rarely have Manager Davis' players gone through Monday performances with so little life and animation.

Mr. Ingersoll's Don Caesar starts out on a low comedy key that destroys in a measure the first impressions of the character. His subsequent work, while not succeeding acts, but at only one point, that when he refuses to sign the agreement surrendering all claim to his wife, does he meet the dramatic requirements of the role. This critician, however, is not of the entire company. There was a great deal of simple recitation of the lines, but very little actual impartation of life and reality to the parts. There is some justification, this uninteresting result, in the fact that modern audiences do not warm up to these old-costumed plays, in which the players are only puppets, who are made to revolve around a hero who is beyond the comprehension and sympathy of modern playgoers, unless that hero be an actor of superabundant personal magnetism, as well as unusual dramatic force and talent.

"Don Caesar" is certainly worth seeing, so far as he has been clothed and panoplied by Mr. Huffman's accurate knowledge of stage art. Otherwise he is rather a tame and dull fellow, despite his reputation.

Bijou—"A Jolly American Tramp."

Jack Porter ..... Jack Allen
Warren Wade ..... Chas. E. Graham
Dick Hollis ..... George Fawcett
Job Barrett ..... Clarence Heritage
Hiram Stubbs ..... Harry Turner
Henry Bragg ..... Tom Daley
Hans Doeman ..... Wilbur Dobbs
Irish Balcomb ..... R. Edgar Vance
M'am Pepper ..... Mrs. E. M. Burnes
Mabel Manning ..... Carrie Godfrey
Delia Dooley ..... Maggie Meridith
Agnes Barrett ..... Vera Wilson
Flo Barrett ..... Kittie Bingham

The Bijou contingent of theatergoers were disposed to be charitable last night, otherwise they might have found it a hard task to be amused at the serious attempts of the performers to be funny. "A Jolly American Tramp" may be an interesting specimen to contemplate, but the type that was presented in C. D. Newell's comedy drama that bears that name was not a striking success in his line. Only at rare intervals did the audience fall into sympathy with his antics enough to applaud and barring the interment of shrieks from the gallery the house was decidedly tame. Judging from his dress Jack Allen might have been a jolly bobo, but in wit and originality of manner he fell way below some of his species that have appeared on the Bijou stage this season. He was distinctly outclassed by Maggie Meridith, who as Delia Dooley, the Irish friend of the Irish, did herself credit. The star of the East was Kittie Bingham, the Flo Barrett of the company, who elicited most of the applause. In her role of a cast-off daughter she made a hit by her rebellion against her supposed mother and her treatment of would-be admirers. As a whole the performance lacked new and interesting features, and seemed a disappointment to many who had looked for a few bright glimpses into tramp history.

Empire Theater—"Fiddle-Dee-Dee."

Hoffman Barr, an athletic young American with nothing but money and nothing to do but spend it ..... John Alden
Rudolph Bungstarter, on a pleasure trip to the Paris Exposition ..... Chas. O. Rice
Michael Krumnucker, on a pleasure trip to the Paris Exposition and very lady-like
Shadrach Leschinski, a Hebrew prestidigitateur ..... Bobby North
Ignatious McSorley, doing the continent for the first time ..... Girl Sparks
Birdie McSorley, his niece from Ireland ..... Marie Richmond
..... Alfred Anderson
Leo, a St. Bernard ..... Herald D. Hoag
Dolly Dingle, a chorus girl ..... Ida Fuflaway
Mrs. Weldorf Meadowbrook, a young widow with a longing to do something to startle society ..... Truly Shattuck
Le Belle Sara, a chanteuse Parisienne ..... Dorothy Drew
An American Sport ..... Ida Sturgis
Stirling Kane, American youth doing Paris ..... Cardownie
Dodge Carr, American youth doing Paris ..... Pheobe Cardownie

The recollection of the previous engagement of Weber and Fields's "Fiddle-Dee-Dee" at the Empire theater was sufficiently fresh in the minds of the patrons of Manager E. J. McCullough's popular playhouse last evening, for the opening performance to be greeted with the largest house on this most successful season. The entire auditorium, balcony and gallery, and even the lobbies, were crowded and the performance was greeted

COMMITTEE IS WIDENING SCOPE OF ITS INQUIRY

Councilmanic Water Investigators Will Look Into Three Companies.

NUMEROUS COMPLAINTS

Monongahela Co. Supplying South Side, Chartiers Co. in West End, and Pennsylvania in East End. Must Observe Contracts.

Three water companies that furnish water to certain sections of the city are to be scrutinized by the councilmanic water investigating committee. The companies that will be taken up are the Monongahela Water Company, which furnishes water to the South Side, the Chartiers Valley Water Company, which furnishes water to the Thirty-eighth ward, and the Pennsylvania Water Company, which furnishes water to certain sections of the East End. The committee did not have a meeting yesterday owing to the absence of a quorum. The only members of the committee present yesterday were Chairman W. S. Woods and J. C. Wasson.

The committee will meet at 3:15 Wednesday, and the following witnesses will be notified to be present: Director J. Guy McCandless, Supt. A. B. Shepherd of the water bureau, Engineer John H. Trimble in charge of Highland reservoir No. 2, Chief Engineer Miles S. Humphreys of the bureau of fire, Assistant Chief Michael Hannigan, and Assistant Chief James Stuart. The committee yesterday issued the following appeal to the public:

Testimony Invited.

The committee appointed by councils to investigate the water supply of the city of Pittsburgh, and the recent threatened failure thereof, as well as all matters and conditions relating thereto, having taken considerable testimony, now desires that any person or persons having information relating thereto, who desire to be heard by this committee, will present themselves in common council chamber either on Wednesday or Friday of the week at 3:15 o'clock, and such person or persons will be heard.

W. S. WOODS, Chairman,
W. C. GEARING, Secretary.

The committee has determined to go thoroughly into the water question whether the water is furnished by the city of Pittsburgh or by public service corporations. A great many complaints have been made to the committee concerning the volume, pressure and quality of the water on the South Side, and they have been made from the standpoints of health and of fire protection. There have been complaints for years, and the committee will endeavor to find some method of remedying the matter. To that end the committee has issued an appeal noted above, and notably asks South Side people to come before the committee and tell what they know concerning the water supply on the other side of the Monongahela river.

Contracts to Be Looked Up.

Supt. Shepherd was instructed to have with him on Wednesday copies of the city's contracts with these water companies, and see what these contracts require of the companies. It is the belief of many people who have filed complaints with the committee that the service which the Monongahela Water Company's contract compels it to give, is not being given, and it is possible that the city solicitor may be asked to come before the committee and enlighten them as to the nature of the contract, and whether the frequent water shortage on that side of the river would be a sufficient reason for forfeiting the contract. The franchise of the Monongahela company will expire in 1908.

The history of Highland reservoir No. 2 is likely to be told again before the committee. Engineer John H. Trimble, who is in charge of the work out there at a salary of $4,000 per annum, would have gone before the committee yesterday had there been a meeting, and he will likely be called for tomorrow. The committee wants to learn when that expensive piece of work, which was begun five years ago, is to be finished. The original contract provided that it should be finished in 1898.

The officials of the bureau of fire are asked to be present and give their ideas as to a water supply in the downtown district. Supt. Shepherd maintains that there is now sufficient water and a sufficient pressure, and the fire officials will be asked for their views on the matter.

REQUEST FOR MORE TIME IS REFUSED

Judge Stowe Says That the Court Has No Jurisdiction in Tunnel Case.

The contest over the right to construct a traction and roadway tunnel from near the Birmingham station of the Panhandle through Mt. Washington developed another chapter in court yesterday. Judge E. H. Stowe of common pleas court No. 1 denied the petition of the Pittsburgh Tunnel Company for an extension of time to carry out their plans. The court dismissed the petition at the cost of the petitioners, on the ground that it had no jurisdiction.

In his opinion Judge Stowe said that the supplement of June 25, 1895, to the act of 1874 indicates "a clear legislative intent that the power of the court to extend time for the completion of the building of tunnels should not exist."

It is understood that the Pittsburgh Tunnel Company will not rest on the decision handed down by Judge Stowe yesterday, but will carry the case to a higher court. Delay on the part of the company has been partly explained by the fact that the Panhandle railroad improvements entirely changed the location of Sycamore street and prevented work from the Pittsburgh end.

Work on a traction tunnel under Mt. Washington has been contemplated for a number of years. James M. Bailey of Singer, Nimick & Co., with a number of associates, secured a charter for the construction of a tunnel through the hill over 12 years ago. This tunnel was intended to link the downtown traction lines with the country on the other side of Mt. Washington.

Within the present year another charter was secured by the Pittsburgh Tunnel Company, which was practically a renewal of the old one. The company was organized by Mr. Bailey, William H. Nimick, Robert A. Carter and Alexander M. Roeper. The plan was to construct a tunnel through the hill. Its length to be about 3,600 feet, and its cost over $400,000.

Before this new charter was taken out Senator William Flinn, former Director of Public Works George W. Wilson, Addison B. Daly, Jr., and others secured a charter for the Mt. Washington Tunnel Company, the tunnel to form part of the Pittsburgh end of a traction line to Washington, Pa. The South Side start of this company was to be practically where the Bailey interests had been making preliminary headings. Then the litigation started.

Hair switches $3 upward. Miss D. Young, Second floor, 107 Sixth street.

CANINE TROUBLES WILL BEGIN TODAY

THE DOGCATCHER STARTS ON HIS ROUNDS THIS MORNING.

From Now Until the Warm Weather Has Come to an End, Stray Dogs Without License Tags Will Be in Danger of Sudden Death.

The canine population of Pittsburgh will be greatly reduced when the sun drops below the western hills this evening. The watch dog's bark that bayed the whispering winds will be stilled in many localities before another sunset, and Carlo's paradise will be populated with many strange visitors, as the dog wagon will be sent out on its season's first round this morning.

Starting at 6:30 this morning and lasting until the warm weather is over, the dog catcher's wagon will make its daily rounds. The wagon has been repainted and the paraphernalia for capturing the animals prepared. The wagon will be in charge of Charles Casey as driver, and Jacob Wilbert, who has wielded the net since the ordinance went into force in 1892, will be found at his old post. He will be assisted by a sub-policeman who will be appointed this morning before the wagon starts on its rounds. Lawrence Gilson will be in charge at the pound, but as all unclaimed dogs will be put to death this season by asphyxiation, his duties will not be so strenuous as last season.

Since the dog pound was started by councils in 1892, the average number of dogs killed each season has been 2,500, and the average saved by their owners about 350. The city has received yearly licenses amounting to about $3,500 which about paid the expenses. All dogs captured are kept at the pound for 48 hours, and if at the end of that time they are not claimed by their owners they are killed. The wagon makes its rounds daily during the season, generally starting out at 4 o'clock each morning. There are then more stray dogs on the streets than during any other part of the day. In the late afternoon the load is delivered at the pound. The pound master makes a daily visit to the pound and all animals destroyed are hauled away by him and turned into the fertilizer.

While a dog catcher's life is not a happy one, as he is often attacked by boys and women while making a catch, he appears to be immune from the evil effects of the teeth of the canine. The dog catcher carries with him a small stick of nitrate of silver and when bitten immediately cauterizes the wound. Tongs are used in taking the dogs from the net, but the catcher is often bitten. No person employed on the dog catcher's wagon hereabouts has ever been known to have contracted rabbies, although many of them have been badly lacerated by the teeth of infuriated dogs when caught in the nets.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

August Neumann	Pittsburgh
Lillie Ankrom	Pittsburgh
Robert P. Contzett	Pittsburgh
Henrietta Grescher	Coulter, Pa.
George W. Morris	Pittsburgh
Mary E. Baker	Pittsburgh
Matej Kermis	Pittsburgh
Onma Valezontis	Pittsburgh
Charles Karikas	Pittsburgh
Zuzanna Gyunsan	Pittsburgh
John Hanigen	Pittsburgh
Marie Scalon	Pittsburgh
Philip E. Leonard	Allegheny
Anna E. Bucey	Ohio
Alvin Roush	Allegheny
Mabel Carpenter	Allegheny
Peter Rauh	Pittsburgh
Jozefa Jalkiewicz	Pittsburgh
John Luco	Allegheny
Julia Beno	Allegheny
Matthew A. Powers	Finleyville, Pa.
Elsie M. Leonard	Sandy Plains, Pa.
Endy Fedolak	Pittsburgh
Susie Stavjarsky	Allegheny
Frank Sopira	Allegheny
Maria Durlia	Allegheny
William C. Stupy	Allegheny
Elizabeth Langsdale	Allegheny
Michael Goesch	South Sharon, Pa.
Fritzi Tanko	Homestead
Louis Leute	Wilmerding
Mary A. Conway	Pittsburgh
Philip L. Lacher	Allegheny
Margaret Schmitt	Allegheny
Robert H. Barr	Bellevue
Sarah Betteridge	Pittsburgh
Herbert H. Brown	Sewickley
Mary E. Hendershat	Sewickley
Timko Zavalen	Allegheny
Mary Szcerbak	Allegheny
James J. Davis	Pittsburgh
Sadie Rice	Larimer, Pa.
Walenty Kulpa	Allegheny
Konstancya Wlas	Pittsburgh
Louis Zlontz	Pittsburgh
Olga Dunn	Pittsburgh

WHAT TO EAT.

Valuable Suggestions for Kitchen and Dining Room.

Conducted by Lida Ames Willis, Marquette building, Chicago, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

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MENUS.

Wednesday.

BREAKFAST.
Fruit,
Cereal, Cream,
Creamed Dried Beef, Stewed Potatoes,
Corn Muffins, German Fried Potatoes,
Coffee.

LUNCH.
Tomato Bisque,
Creamed Fish, Potato Puff,
Cream Puffs, Cocoa.

DINNER.
Clear Soup,
Roast Shoulder Mutton, Mint Sauce,
Mashed Potatoes, Creamed Cauliflower,
Cress Salad,
Snow Pudding, Lemon Sauce,
Coffee.

Thursday.

BREAKFAST.
Sliced Bananas, Cream,
Boiled Finnan Haddie, Parsley Butter,
Stewed Potatoes,
Griddle Cakes, Coffee.

LUNCH.
Clam Chowder,
Fricassee of Dried Beef on Toast,
String Bean Salad,
Coffee Kuchen, Cereal Coffee.

DINNER.
Cream of Corn Soup.
Cold Sliced Mutton, Rice Curry,
Bean Croquettes,
Stewed Tomatoes,
Fruit Salad,
Cheese, Wafers.
Coffee.

Friday.

BREAKFAST.
Fruit.
Cereal Cream,
Codfish in Cream, Grilled Tomatoes,
Sally Lunns, Coffee,

LUNCH.
Vegetable Bazouk, Parsnip Fritters,
Sardines and Cucumber Salad,
Cheese, Wafers,
Cocoa.

DINNER.
Cream of Potato Soup,
White Fish Stuffed. Egg Sauce.
Mashed Potatoes, Spinach,
Cucumber and Onions,
German Pancakes With Prunes,
Coffee.

INQUIRIES ANSWERED.

Mrs. J. O. D. writes: Kindly give a recipe for mock crab on toast and vegetable consomme.

Mock Crab.

This recipe is best suited to chafing dish cookery, as it should be cooked over hot water. Put a good tablespoonful of butter in the chafing dish, and when melted set over the hot water pan. Grate or shave thin half a pound of rich soft cheese and put in with the butter and stir until cheese is melted. Beat the yolks of three eggs with a tablespoonful of anchovy sauce, a level teaspoonful of mustard, two dashes of paprika and two tablespoonfuls of vinegar. Stir the mixture until smooth and serve on thin toast strips.

Vegetable Consommee.

Slice a dozen medium sized onions, four carrots and half a bunch of celery; add a small bunch of parsley, thyme and sweet marjoram. Put all together in a stew pan with a pound of good beef suet or fresh beef drippings and fry a light brown. Then add five quarts of cold water, two tablespoonfuls of pepper corns, a tablespoonful of salt, six whole cloves, a quart of dried white beans soaked over night. Bring to boiling point, let boil five minutes, then simmer four hours. Strain and cool, skim off the fat and use same as other stock.

Are Olives Digestible.

Miss M. A. B. writes: What do you think of the digestibility of olives? Are they not similar to cheese in this respect, and should they not be eaten very sparingly?

Pickled olives are not at all indigestible, as the oil contains a quality which will completely neutralize the ill effect of the brine, which would be the only indigestible element in them. They are eaten in small quantities more on account of their high price than for any other reason.

An exquisite hat in fine black straw braid. The under brim is made of folds of black tulle. A handsome plume is laid around the wide brim. The low crown is surrounded by an accordeon pleated lace scarf, the ends falling in the back.

Society.

THE Columbian Council of Jewish Women held its annual election yesterday afternoon. The meeting was a very large one, the members showing enthusiasm and animation over the excitement of a club election. The former officers were all re-elected with the exception of the corresponding secretary, who begins her term of office this year.

The election was as follows: Mrs. Albert Blumberg, president; Mrs. Samuel G. Rosenstock, vice president; Miss Minnie Affelder, recording secretary; Mrs. Solomon Zugsmith, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Charles H. Weinhauf, treasurer. The board of directors includes Miss Baumgarten, Mrs. Enoch Rauh, Mrs. A. Leo Weil, Mrs. Bernard L. Hirshfield, Mrs. Benjamin H. Hirsch, Mrs. Morris Kaufmann, Mrs. Bertha Benswanger, Mrs. Hugo Rosenberg and Mrs. Samuel Gallinger, Jr. Mrs. Hugo Rosenberg holds the office of honorary president.

The reports of the officers showed an increase in the membership of the club and the successful working of all its departments, including the Columbian Council school in the old Siagle home in Center avenue, the various industrial classes conducted under its supervision, its philanthropic work and its literary study.

Next Sunday afternoon the annual election of officers and directors of the Columbian Council school will be held at the school in Center avenue, when the reports of the work will be made. The school is attended by several hundred children from among the varied foreign population of Pittsburgh residing in the Herron Hill district.

Wedding Invitations.

Mr. Andrew Bryce has issued invitations for the wedding of his only daughter, Miss Jean Frances Bryce, and Charles Harris Kincaid, on Tuesday evening, May 20, at 7 o'clock, in the First United Presbyterian church. The ceremony will be performed by the pastor, the Rev. William J. Reid, D. D., assisted by the Rev. J. Edwin Amos of Washington, D. C., an uncle of the bridegroom. The wedding will be a large one, 850 invitations having been sent out. Miss Bryce will be attended by her cousin, Miss Helen Bryce of Mt. Pleasant, who will be maid of honor; by Miss Jean Field Kincaid, a cousin of the bridegroom. Miss Helen Mayo Cox, Miss Margaret Henderson, Miss Virginia Murdock, Miss Mary Tebbetts and Miss Mary Biggert, as bridesmaids. Another cousin, Miss Ruth Bryce of Elizabeth, Pa., will be the flower girl. William Rush will be the best man and the ushers will include Gordon Wattles, James Rees, Lawrence Schellhaas, Kenneth Bryce, a brother of the bride, Gerard Bryce, her cousin and Ralph Richland.

The wedding will be followed by a reception at the home of the bride in Farragut street. After September 1 the young couple will be at home at No. 1002 Farragut street. Several social affairs will be given in honor of Miss Bryce. Her aunt, Mrs. Donald Bryce of Mt. Pleasant, gives a dinner for the bridal party on May 17.

Two Rochester Engagements.

ROCHESTER, PA., May 5.—The engagement has been announced of Miss Mary P. Shallenberger, daughter of Second Assistant Posimaster General W. S. Shallenberger of Washington, D. C., to Dr. Guy S. Shugert of this place. Miss Shallenberger was a former resident of Rochester, and a very popular young woman. Dr. Shugert is connected with the staff of the Beaver County General hospital and is popular in society. The wedding is announced for the early fall.

Mrs. Frances Barr of Rochester has made announcement of the approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Ora Leland Barr, to Charles R. Fisher of East Liverpool, O. The wedding will take place at noon, May 20, and will be solemnized by the Rev. J. D. Benton, rector of Trinity Episcopal church of Sewickley. Owing to the recent death of the groom's mother the affair will be a quiet one.

Theater Party at the Alvin.

Mrs. Percy Hamilton gave a theater party last evening at the Alvin to see the Bostonians in "Maid Marian." It was in compliment to Miss Adele Rafter, the prima donna of the company. Miss Rafter and her mother, Mrs. Rafter, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Coleman Hamilton at their home in Morewood avenue, Shadyside. Among those in the party last evening were Mrs. Rafter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pettit, Mr. Jacobs of Brownsville and Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton. They were joined by Miss Rafter for supper after the opera.

Last week Miss Rafter was ill and unable to appear, her understudy taking her place each night. She sang last evening, though she is resting quietly this week. Miss Rafter is the daughter of the Rev. Dr. Rafter, Episcopal rector of Dunkirk, N. Y.

Will Sail Today.

On the Kronprinz Wilhelm, which sails today from New York, will be quite a party of Pittsburgh people. Among the voyagers will be Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Stewart, who go abroad for a three months tour of Europe, and Mr. and Mrs. James I. Kay and Miss Kay.

Another party of Pittsburgh people which sails by the Kronprinz will include Mr. and Mrs. John C. Reilly, Miss Johanna Reilly, Miss Mary Reilly, Miss Ursula Reilly, Philip Reilly, John Reilly and Charles G. Reilly, Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Vilsack, Miss Katherine Vilsack, Miss Mercedes Vilsack, Aloysius Vilsack, Monsieur Vilsack, and Karl Vilsack, Miss Donnelly, Mr. and Mrs. William Loefler, Mrs. Alfred J. Hopkins and Albert Loefler.

The Women's Club Entertains.

The Women's club of Pittsburgh will give a Japanese tea this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robert D. Coard, in Howe street, East End. The house will be decorated with Japanese draperies. There will be an abundance of cherry blossoms and the members of the social committee of the club and the aids will appear in Japanese dress. Mrs. Coard, who is chairman of the committee, will be assisted by Mrs. Robert Latimer, Mrs. Andrew Easton, Mrs. Edward Miller, Mrs. William Swendell, Mrs. Hugo Rosenberg and Miss Carrie Bloomberg.

A Violet Party.

Mrs. Howard Morton of Cedar avenue, Allegheny, gave a "violet picking" party on Saturday in honor of Miss Mabel E. Armstrong. The party was held at the Morton farm, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Randall Morton, in Squirrel Hill, and was one of the delightful affairs of the day. Among the guests were Miss Mabel Armstrong, Miss Margery Wheeler, Miss Barbara Eggert, Miss Mollie Eggert, Miss Katherine Conley, Miss Violet Semon and Miss Emily Deigh.

Luncheon for Bride-Elect.

Mrs. William Warren Card will give a luncheon this afternoon in honor of Miss Gretta Patterson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Patterson, whose engagement to Lucius Fuller of Chicago was recently announced. The guests will be 18 girls, close friends of Miss Patterson.

Notes of Society.

The Women's Press club held its regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Lincoln.

The Decade club was entertained last evening by Mr. and Mrs. William M. Stevenson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robert Porter.

On Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Gusky orphanage will hold its annual meeting at the Orphanage in Perrysville avenue, Allegheny.

The annual meeting of the Dolly Madison Chapter, United States Daughters of 1812, will be held next Monday afternoon, May 12, at the Twentieth Century club house. The annual election of officers will take place.

Mrs. Palma Starts for Cuba.

NEW YORK, May 5.—(Special.)—Mrs. Estrada Palma, wife of the first president of the republic of Cuba, arrived in this city today from Center Valley, N. Y., accompanied by the remainder of the family. They expect to sail this week for Cuba, where they will arrive in time to witness the inauguration of Gen. Palma into the presidency.

DRESSED MEAT PRICES REMAIN AT SAME POINT

Although Live Stock Has Fallen Here, Trust Keeps Prices Up.

LOCAL RECEIPTS HEAVY

Shipments That Arrived at Liberty Yards Yesterday Were Largest of Any Monday for Months—Shipments Shut Off in West.

Despite the fact that live stock prices have been lowered the beef trust continues to keep up the price of dressed meats. Although the cattle and hogs were lowered in the local and western markets yesterday, last week's prices on beef and pork were maintained. Dressed lambs went up 50 cents a hundred yesterday, although they sold alive at the figures of last week.

Top cattle in the East Liberty market yesterday sold for 15 to 25 cents lower than last week. The prices quoted yesterday were $6 70@6 85. Hogs were 5 cents lower on the medium grades. They were quoted at $6 60@6 80. Sheep and lambs remained steady. There was a marked reduction in calves. They dropped from $6 a hundred to $5 50.

Notwithstanding the above reductions there was not a single decrease in any kind or grade of dressed meats. Beef stayed at $10 75@11 00 a hundred, pork at $12 50 and lamb advanced from $12 50 to $13 00. The receipts at the East Liberty stock yards yesterday were unusually heavy. More cattle and hogs were received than on any Monday for months.

Receipts Were Heavy.

The cattle receipts amounted to 105 carloads, and 50 double deckers of hogs, against 85 cars of cattle last week and about 40 cars of hogs. The commission men at East Liberty yards ascribed the unusually heavy receipts to two causes: the campaign inaugurated by the newspapers and the government against the beef trust, and the fact that the end of the grain-fed cattle season is near at hand.

"The farmers and stockmen are scared by the talk in the newspapers and the action of the government authorities and are shipping in their stock for fear prices will go down lower than they are now," said a commission man. "They think they must get their cattle on the market before the grass-fed cattle begin to come in," he added.

The sales at East Liberty yesterday were slow, 10 carloads of cattle being left unsold in the pens last night. The receipts at Chicago yesterday showed that the western packers, aided by the commission men, have succeeded in curtailing the shipments from the western ranges in order to keep up the prices.

Packers' Practices.

The cattle receipts at Chicago yesterday were only 10,500 head, which is about 10,000 short of the average run.

Within the past week the packers and commission men have been notifying shippers to hold back their live stock until a revival in the market. They blame the panic that occurred last Monday on the effect of the crusade against the beef trust.

The fact that the receipts at East Liberty were larger than for several months shows that the trust was not in control of the local market.

In order to prevent a natural decrease in the consumption which the crusade against the combine has caused, the commission men have joined the packers in an effort to keep the market up. They were warning shippers not to send in cattle until prices take another rise.

NEW EVIDENCE FOUND AGAINST BEEF TRUST

Bill in Equity Revised by Knox and Will Be Filed in Chicago This Week.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—New and important evidence against the beef trust has been secured by the department of justice within the last two days and the case against the combination has been broadened and greatly strengthened. Officials of the department, of course, are unable to reveal the nature of this evidence. The new evidence supports nearly every count in the bill against the trust and is now being revised and inserted.

The testimony bearing out the charges that illegal rebates from railroads have been obtained is said to be voluminous, in great detail and conclusive. The trust, it is well known, has important railroad connections, and these are thought to be seriously involved.

All day long Attorney General Knox, District Attorney Bethea of Chicago and Special Attorney William A. Day were in consultation over the proceedings against the trust and the final revision of the bill in equity was begun. Mr. Bethea came to Washington unexpectedly in response to a telegram from the attorney general.

At the conclusion of today's conference with Mr. Knox and Mr. Bethea, Judge Day's connection with the case closed for the time being. District Attorney Bethea will return to Chicago at once. It is expected that the bill in equity will be filed in Chicago this week, when it will be made public.

CHASED SON WITH DIRK.

Italian Boy Takes Refuge in Police Station from His Father.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., May 5.—(Special.)—Harry Tweel, 15 years old, this afternoon rushed into Police Judge Lallance's office. Only 10 feet behind him was the father, John Tweel, an Italian merchant, with dirk in hand, attempting to thrust the instrument into the son's body. The lad's coat had been slashed in half a dozen places.

Three policemen and the city jailor had a desperate conflict with the senior Tweel before he could be disarmed. Tweel is in jail. The only excuse offered for his action was that his son refused to clerk in the store.

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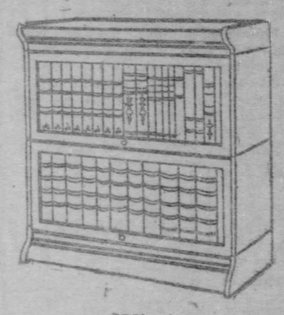

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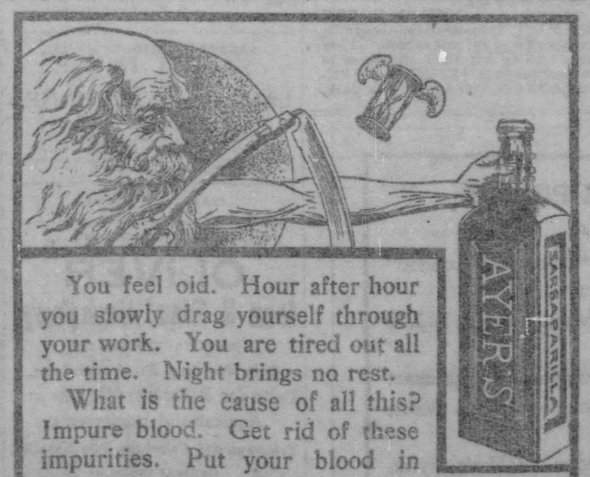

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St. Louis .... 5—Chicago 2

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	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	15	2	.867	Philadelphia	6	8	.429
New York	10	5	.667	Brooklyn	5	7	.417
Chicago	7	6	.583	Cincinnati	4	10	.286
Boston	7	7	.500	St. Louis	3	10	.231

League Games Today.

Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.
St. Louis at Chicago.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Cincinnati, May 5.—Pittsburgh again wiped up the diamond with the luckless Reds today. They not only outplayed the local team, but had all the luck. The Cincinnatis continued their error making and managed to make three misplays which in every instance cost runs.

Although the score was never close it was really a very fair grade of ball, taken all around. There were numerous brilliant plays, of which a one-handed stop by Erve Beck was by far the most sensational. Capt. Corcoran at short played a good game, although he made one poor throw.

Schoolmaster Was in Fine Form.

Leever was in good form and kept the hits made off his delivery well scattered and was given excellent support by his fielders, and although 10 hits were made only two of them resulted in runs. Bob Ewing went in for Cincinnati. He has not yet gotten good control of the ball and gave six passes, although only one of them was turned into a tally. Billy Bergen, who usually is the steadiest man on the team, had an off day and gave the visitors a run in the second inning when he threw far over Beck's head in an effort to catch Ritchey stealing, and Claude by great sprinting came all the way home first.

This was the first run scored. A base on balls to Wagner and hits by Branshfield, O'Connor and Leever gave the champions two more runs in the fourth. They increased their lead to five in the seventh. After Davis had struck out Clarke singled, but Conroy's sharp grounder was taken care of by Corcoran and Clarke was forced. Wagner's grounder was also taken by Corcoran, but Beckley muffed the ball and Conroy went to third. Wagner stole second and both men scored when Branshfield dropped a little fly into right center, which Crawford lost in the sun.

Reds Were Long Without a Hit.

The Reds did not get a hit until the fifth, and then they got two, but no runs were scored, though second and third were occupied when Conroy ate up Hoy's sharp grounder. In the eighth they broke the ice. With one out Dobbs hit safely to left. Beckley slammed one into right and Davis made the throw to third, which gave Beckley second. Both men scored on Crawford's safe drive. The next two batsmen failed to do anything, however.

In the ninth Wagner's hit, Corcoran's poor throw and Leach's single gave the Pittsburghs their final run. After two men had been retired for the Reds in this inning Ewing hit to extreme left center for three bases, but Hoy struck out and ended the game. The score:

CINCINNATI	A.B.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Hoy, m	4	0	0	5	0	0
Dobbs, l	4	1	2	3	1	0
Beckley, 1	4	1	2	5	0	1
Corcoran, s	4	0	2	1	0	0
Beck, r	4	0	0	2	0	0
Carpenter, a	4	0	2	1	6	1
Schlei, c	4	0	0	2	1	0
Bergen, 2	4	0	0	4	3	1
Ewing, p	4	0	2	0	6	0
Totals	36	2	10	27	17	3

PITTSBURG	A.B.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Davis, r	4	0	0	0	0	0
Clarke, l	3	0	1	1	0	0
Conroy, m	4	2	1	1	1	1
Wagner, s	4	2	2	2	4	0
Branshfield, 1	4	0	2	16	0	0
Ritchey, 2	4	2	1	3	6	0
Leach, 3	3	0	1	2	1	0
O'Connor, c	3	0	0	3	2	0
Leever, p	4	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	29	6	11	27	19	1

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	—2
Pittsburgh	0	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	—6

Two-base hit—Beckley. Three-base hit—Ewing. Stolen bases—Clarke, Wagner, Branshfield. First base on balls—Off Ewing, 6. Hit by pitched ball—By Leever, 1. First base on errors—Pittsburg, 1. Struck out—By Ewing, 3; by Leever, 1. Passed ball—Bergen. Time—1:30. Umpire—Emslie.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

That O'Connor boy isn't doing a thing but keeping up his average batting. Rowdy had the best of five time at bat yesterday.

Of course big Jake Beckley had to work in a little hit that saved the Reds from a shutout. Jake's single came in the eighth inning, when it was most needed.

After Hoy's game at Cincinnati the champions will back their hats and come home to meet Brooklyn on Wednesday afternoon in the opening series with the eastern teams.

Conroy made the Pirates' only error yesterday, but it did not cost any figure in the other side's runs. Out of ten fielding chances Conroy accepted nine, made one hit and scored a run.

Ban Johnson has tacked a five days' suspension on Mugsy McGraw for his row with Umpire Sheridan at Baltimore last week. Mugsy is liable to resent this and trouble may be expected.

Beaumont, Donahy, Poole and Merritt, the Muy-at-homes, drew their full time doing practice work over at the park. These players are ready to go in and do their full duty when called on by Manager Clarke.

The Pirates will tackle the Reds today again, and Mugsy Dale (Chief) will do the twirling for the champions. It is likely that Hahn or Bill Phillips will be on the rubber for the Reds and there should be a good game.

Young Kenna, the giant pitcher, son of ex-Senator Kenna, has given a trial by Connie Mack yesterday and showed up in fine style. Kenna formerly pitched for the University of West Virginia, also for the Wheeling team.

Manager Ewing says his team has reached its limit in poor play and is bound to take a brace. Of course it will, as the record of the game shows that all teams brace up when they get to the bottom, no matter how poorly they play to other teams.

Leonard Jacoby, Swarthmore, the raw-boned youngster who got a reputation by pitching the Pirates to defeat last fall, and who was signed only after a great deal of trouble by Cincinnati at his own figure, has been let out by Manager Ewing. King Bill never let the champions get a chance to get even with Leonard Jordan. There's another of Ben Mulford's idols shattered.

HANK O'DAY.
Who Will Be Here to Umpire Games With Eastern Teams.

KEEPING UP THEIR GAIT.

Giants Made It Four Straight from the Quakers.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Four straights from Philadelphia is the record made by New York in the series which began in Philadelphia last Wednesday and was finished here today. McGee pitched a fine game for Philadelphia with the exception of the wild pitch in the second which allowed New York to score the only run made. Attendance, 5,100. Score:

Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Thomas, m	0	1	2	0	0	W'Hall'n, r	0	0	1	0	0
Barry, r	0	0	2	1	0	Brodie, m	0	0	1	0	0
Browne, l	0	0	1	0	0	Lauder, 3	0	1	0	3	0
Doolin, 1	0	1	2	0	0	Doyle, 1	0	0	13	2	0
Douglass, 1	0	0	8	0	0	Smith, 2	0	0	2	5	0
Jacksch, c	0	2	3	1	2	Jackson, l	1	1	0	0	0
Hulswitt, s	0	1	3	1	0	Bean, s	0	2	1	4	0
Hallman, 3	0	0	0	1	0	Bow'man, c	0	0	4	3	0
Childs, 2	0	1	4	2	0	Kennedy, p	0	0	1	0	0
McGee, p	0	0	0	0	2	Evans, p	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	0	6	24	7	2	Totals	1	3	27	19	0

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
New York	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	—1

Left on bases—Philadelphia, 5; New York, 2. Hits—Off Kennedy, 3 in three innings; off Evans, 5 in six innings. Stolen bases—Jackson, Lauder. Double plays—Childs and Douglass; Lauder, Smith and Doyle; Evans, Smith and Doyle; Bean, Smith and Doyle; Doyle, Bowerman and Bean. Sacrifice hits—Hulswitt, Doolin. First base on balls—Off Magee, 1; off Kennedy, 1; off Evans, 1. Hit by pitched ball—By McGee, 1. Struck out—By McGee, 2; by Kennedy, 1; by Evans, 1. Wild pitch—McGee, 1. Time—1:20. Umpires—Power and Brown.

BROOKLYN SHIFTS LUCK.

After Five Defeats Hanlon's Team Finally Wins a Game.

NEW YORK, May 5.—After having five successive defeats marked against them, Brooklyn put up a lively game with Boston today, winning by four to one. Hughes held the Bostons down for eight innings, but they succeeded in making a run in the ninth. Attendance, 3,000. Score:

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Brook'n.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Lush, m	0	0	2	0	0	Dolan, m	0	0	4	0	0
Tenney, 1	0	2	12	0	0	McKeley, c	1	1	5	0	0
Court'y, 1	0	0	2	0	0	Sheck, 1	1	3	8	1	0
Carney, r	0	2	2	0	0	M'Cre'y, 1	1	2	0	0	0
Grem'er, 2	1	1	0	3	0	Dahlen, s	0	0	1	1	1
Long, s	0	1	1	3	1	Bloom, 2	0	0	2	3	0
Demont, 2	0	1	1	1	0	Irwin, 3	1	0	3	5	0
Kitzg, c	0	1	4	1	0	Farrell, c	0	3	7	1	0
Malary, p	0	0	1	5	0	Hughes, p	0	0	0	1	0
*Cooley	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	1	8	24	10	1	Totals	4	10	27	10	1

*Batted for Malarkey in ninth inning.

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1
Brooklyn	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	*	—4

Two-base hits—Greminger, Demont, McGreery, Flood. Stolen bases—Irwin, Sheckard, Carney. First base on errors—Boston, 1. Left on bases—Boston, 9; Brooklyn, 8. Double play—Sheckard and McCreery. First on balls—Off Malarkey, 1; off Hughes, 5. Sacrifice hits—Kitzger, Lush. Struck out—By Hughes, 3; by Malarkey, 3. Time—1:44. Umpire—O'Day.

ERRORS WERE COSTLY.

The Cardinals Finally Manage to Win Another Game.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Chicago's errors were very costly and figured in all of the visitors' run-getting. After the third inning the hits off Murphy were confined one to an inning. Attendance, 1,700. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Miller, l	1	0	2	1	0	Farrell, 2	2	2	8	4	0
Lynch, m	0	2	1	0	1	Donovan, r	1	1	2	0	0
Dexter, 3, l	1	2	3	0	1	Smoot, m	0	0	2	0	0
Taylor, 1	0	1	9	2	0	Barkley, l	0	2	3	0	0
Kling, c	0	0	1	5	1	Kruger, s	1	1	3	3	2
Lowe, 2	0	0	4	3	2	Hitman, 3	0	0	1	1	3
O'Hagen, l	0	0	0	0	0	Brashear, l	1	1	2	8	0
Tinker, s	0	0	0	6	1	Ryan, c	0	0	6	4	1
Eason, p	0	1	1	3	0	Murphy, p	0	1	0	2	0
*Slagle	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	2	10	27	8	4	Totals	5	12	27	13	2

*Batted for Eason in ninth.

Chicago	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	—2
St. Louis	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	2	0	—5

Left on bases—Chicago, 6; St. Louis, 5. Two-base hit—Dexter. Sacrifice hit—Ryan. Stolen bases—Miller 2, O'Hagen. Double plays—O'Hagen (unassisted); Kling and Lowe; Farrell and Brashear; Kruger, Farrell and Brashear. Struck out—By Eason, 4; by Murphy, 4. Base on balls—Off Eason, 3; off Murphy, 1. Time—1:30. Umpire—Camillon.

Eastern League Games.

Buffalo, 5; Montreal, 3.
Toronto, 8; Rochester, 5.
Newark, 6; Providence, 5.
Worcester, 4; Jersey City, 4 (13 innings, darkness).

FRAUD IS CHARGED.

Watres Candidate for State Delegate Claims He Was Defeated by Illegal Votes.

SCRANTON, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—Samuel Hooper of Miners Mills, the Watres candidate for state delegate, who was defeated by the Elkin men in the Fifth Luzerne district, was up this city this afternoon and alleged that he was defeated through fraud engineered by representatives of the state administration. Mr. Hooper declares that he will inaugurate a contest at the Harrisburg convention and he has no doubt but that the convention will sustain him.

He declares that the Pittston convention did not elect a permanent chairman at all, the district chairman, Howell Williams, taking the position, and that a number of illegal votes were permitted in the convention that were sufficient to defeat him.

Mr. Hooper says three districts were represented by men holding fraudulent credentials. In addition to this Mr. Hooper alleges that there was a free use of money in the district and that one delegate elected for Watres was induced for a consideration to turn over his credentials to the Elkin man that he defeated at the polls by 15 votes.

One Strike Is Settled.

One of the building trades strikes was settled yesterday. The tile layers' helpers accepted a compromise offer of their employers, which puts to work all of their number and also the journeymen tile layers, who have been on a sympathetic strike. Slate and tile roofers say that they are now locked out.

Wilmerding will be in the field this year with the strongest team that has ever represented that town. The season will open May 17. Games are wanted with all strong teams. Homestead, Turtle Creek, Braddock, Johnstown, Monessen, Manor, Winter A. C., Windsors, East Liverpool and all strong teams in Western Pennsylvania. Address all communications to R. J. Anderson, secretary, Wilmerding, Pa.

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Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	6	3	.667	Washington	5	6	.455
St. Louis	6	4	.600	Chicago	5	6	.455
Philadelphia	6	4	.600	Baltimore	4	6	.400
Boston	6	5	.545	Cleveland	4	8	.333

Philadelphia, May 5.—The home club won from Washington today in an interesting game. Wiltse was batted freely in the first inning and Kenna, Mack's latest acquisition, was substituted. He held the visitors down to five hits. Attendance 2,419. Score:

Washton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Ryan, m	1	1	3	1	0	Hartsel, l	1	1	0	2	0
Keister, 2	0	2	2	1	0	Fultz, 2	2	3	1	1	0
Drill, c	0	1	3	1	0	Davis, 1	1	1	10	1	0
C'ghlin	3	2	1	3	2	L. Cross, 3	0	1	3	4	0
Lee, p	0	1	2	0	3	Flick, r	1	2	2	0	0
Carey, l	0	1	1	3	0	Seybold, m	1	2	1	0	0
Ely, s	0	0	2	2	0	M. Cross, s	0	0	3	2	0
Carick, l	1	1	0	1	0	Powers, c	0	1	4	3	0
Patton, r	0	0	2	0	0	Wiltse, p	0	0	0	3	0
						Kenna, p	1	1	1	2	0
Totals	5	9	24	13	1	Totals	7	11	27	15	0

Washington	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	—5
Philadelphia	1	1	1	0	0	0	3	1	*	—7

Two-base hits—Keister, Lee, Carey, Fultz, L. Cross, Flick, Seybold, Kenna. Three-base hit—Drill. Home run—Davis. Sacrifice hits—Seybold, M. Cross 2. Stolen bases—Coughlin, M. Cross. Double play—Ely, Carey and Coughlin. Left on bases—Washington, 4; Philadelphia, 4. First base on balls—Off Lee, 3; off Kenna, 3. Hit by pitched ball—M. Cross. Struck out—By Kenna, 2. Passed ball—Drill. Time—1:50. Umpire—O'Laughlin.

SAVED A SHUTOUT.

McGraw's Team Was Close to the Whitewash.

BOSTON, May 5.—Winters shut out Baltimore until the ninth inning of today's game, when he eased down and was hit for two singles, which with a pass and two bad fielding errors, enabled the visitors to score twice. Boston batted Hughes hard at opportune times. Attendance, 3,268. Score:

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Baltimore.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Parent, s	0	0	3	3	2	Selbach, l	1	1	0	2	0
Stahl, m	0	1	1	0	0	Seymour, r	0	1	2	0	1
Collins, 3	1	1	2	1	0	Kelley, 3	1	1	1	2	0
Free'an, r	1	0	3	0	0	Willis's, 2	0	3	4	1	1
Hick'an, 2	0	1	1	1	0	McGann, 1	1	1	9	1	0
Lach'e, 1	1	2	13	0	1	Gilbert, s	0	0	2	3	1
Ferris, 2	1	1	1	4	0	Bra'n, m	0	1	4	0	0
Warner, c	0	0	3	2	0	Robinson, c	0	0	3	0	0
Winters, p	1	1	1	4	0	Hughes, p	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	5	8	27	14	3	Totals	2	7	*26	8	3

*Collins out for interference.

Boston	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	*	—5
Baltimore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	—2

Two-base hit—Collins. Three-base hit—Ferris. Stolen bases—Stahl, Collins. Double plays—Gilbert and Williams; Ferris, Parent and Lachance. First base on balls—Off Winters, 1; off Hughes 2. Hit by pitched balls—By Winters 1. Struck out—By Winters 2, by Hughes 2. Left on bases—Boston 5, Baltimore 6. Wild pitch—Hughes. Umpire—Sheridan. Time—1:50.

STRONG PITTSBURGH BOY.

Helps Swell Harvard's Strength Tests This Year.

BOSTON, MASS., May 5.—(Special.)—Official reports given out by Dr. Sargent as to the inter-collegiate strength test championship contest, which closed today, point to Harvard as the winner, with a total of 74,290.1 points (kilograms) against 72,635.7 points scored by Columbia, the Crimson's dangerous rival. Columbia's figures are unofficial. Arthur Tyng is the Harvard champion, with a total of 2,569.8 points, 690 points better than last year. He has broken all inter-collegiate records. Another Harvard giant, who helped the Crimson to win, is H. V. Blaxter, '05, of Pittsburgh, whose strength test record is 1,483.5 points, 30 others follow him in a team of 50. Last year the 50th man had a total of 1,132.4; this year the minimum has been increased nearly 100 points, so that Blaxter's record is within 245.7 of Tyng's record last year and 351.3 points better than last year's weakest man.

CONTEST IS PROMISED.

Elkin Delegates May Have to Fight for Seat in State Convention.

PITTSTON, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—After a fight which will probably result in a contest at the state convention the Fifth district convention held here this afternoon, declared for Elkin and elected a delegate pledged to his support. The rival candidates were George Mitchell, an Elkin man, and Samuel Hooper, who is for Watres, and the vote was 24 to 18. The Watres men protested in vain that delegates were being seated who had no right to the credentials they carried.

Mr. Hooper announced afterward that he would make a contest.

Elkin has so far secured all the four delegates elected in this county. There are five more to be chosen, two in this city next Monday, two in the Second and one in the Sixth district on May 20.

Foundrymen's Wages Increased.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., May 5.—The American Car & Foundry Company today voluntarily raised the wages of all the men in its employ. The increase dates back to May 1. The carpenters get an increase of 12 per cent, the blacksmiths' helpers 15 per cent, machinists and planing mill men 20 per cent. The advance effects more than 1,000 men.

Horseman Hangs Himself.

ZANESVILLE, O., May 5.—(Special.)—William H. Keys, one of the best-known importers of fine horses in this country, committed suicide by hanging himself to a tree in his orchard in Adams township this morning.

Week Victim Dead.

FREEDOM, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—Jackson Stacy, who was injured in the wreck of the relief train near here Sunday evening, died tonight as a result of his injuries.

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Famous Sprinter Cannot Find the Time for Training—Says He Will Compete for Law School in the Inter-Department Meet—Holds World's Record.

Frank Washington Jarvis, one of the greatest college sprinters this country ever produced, and the foremost follower of the cinder path that ever came from Pittsburgh, has decided that he cannot compete for the Western university in the coming intercollegiate field and track meet on Decoration day. He will, however, run for the law department in the interdepartment meet on May 23.

This announcement coming from Jarvis will be a great disappointment to the enthusiastic Wup athletes, who are after the first honors in this meet and expect to surpass any showing ever made by the university in these annual contests. It will also be received with the greatest of interest by the other colleges, as ever since it was announced through The Gazette that Jarvis was being counted on by Wup as a student in her law department a definite statement from the famous sprinter has been eagerly awaited.

The other colleges well realized that with Jarvis running, Wup had good grounds on which to base her high hopes.

Jarvis says that he cannot see his way clear to spare the time for training, as his law examinations are approaching and require all his time.

Jarvis is well known by all Pittsburgh followers of college sports as the winner of the world's championship 100-meter race in the International games at Paris and the holder of the world's record of 10 4-5 seconds for this distance. While at Princeton Jarvis also won the 220 and 440 yard intercollegiate championships. Jarvis' best time for 100 yards is 10 seconds, and for the 440, 49 2-5.

The Sewickley High school baseball team desires to arrange games with all 15 or 16-year-old uniformed teams. Sellevue, Park Institute, Nationals and Trinity hall are preferred. Address F. D. Starr, Sewickley.

The Efforts of the Most Noted Scientists Of the Present Day Are Directed to Finding the Source of Life and How to Prolong It.

Prof. Loeb, of the University of Chicago, has made the greatest advances in that direction; after years of investigation and experiment he has located "life" in the nerves, finding that it is the result of chemical action; he has taken a human heart that had stopped beating, started it and stopped it at will with certain chemical solutions, and, most astonishing of all, he has been able to produce *life*—only in the lower order of living beings as yet; but having discovered how to produce it in them, there is no reason why he should not advance and wrest the great secret from nature in its entirety.

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LOCAL BILLIARD PLAYERS SHOW CLEVER WORK

BUT FEW HORSES WERE STARTERS IN THE HANDICAP

Entry List Embraced Twenty-Three, but Only Four Made the Race.

WAS WON BY DIXIELINE

Was the Odds-On Favorite and Never Had the Least Trouble—One Twenty-to-One Shot Was Put Through All Right.

New York, May 5.—Out of 23 entries carded for the Throggs Neck handicap at one mile, run at Morris Park today, only four went to the post, with Dixieline an odds on favorite. He galloped home winner by two lengths. Moor, the despised outsider, showed the way for three-quarters of a mile, with Himself second, Alsike third and Dixieline trailing the field four lengths away under wraps. In the stretch, however, Shaw let the St. Maxim gelding have his head and he drew out and won very easily by two lengths. J. E. Madden's Old Lady won the baby race at half a mile for 2-year-olds. Summaries:

Prince of Melrose a Surprise.

First race, first Monday selling race, the Eclipse course—Prince of Melrose, 109, Keenan, 20 to 1 and 7 to 1, won; Muridora, 99, Booker, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, second; Snark, 106, L. Jackson, 6 to 1 and 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:12½. Dolce, Fat Niente, Lisechen, Scurry, Blanche Herman, Ghost and Parimna also ran.

Second race, the Lady race, for two-year-olds, last half mile of the Eclipse course—Old Lady, 104, T. Burns, 6 to 1 and 5 to 2, won; Skyview, 107, Lamley, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, second; Fitzbrillar, 107, Wonderly, 30 to 1, and 12 to 1, third. Time, :47½. Janeway, Ringdove, Bernstormer, Fort Wayne, Sealstry, George W. Dasch, Invincible, Damon, Pastoral and No Match also ran.

Third race, the Port Morris, for three-year-olds and upward, a half furlongs of the Withers' mile—Stranger, 106, Wonderly, 9 to 5 and 2 to 5, won; Clonmell, 116, Booker, 4 to 5 and 1 to 4, second; The Hoyden, 111, Odom, 7 to 1 and 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:22¼. Tramp also ran.

Fourth race, last seven furlongs of the Withers' mile—Sysonby, 135, Odom, 9 to 10 and 2 to 5, won; Masqueper, 111, Miles, 5 to 1 and 4 to 5, second; Ohnet, 111, Reiff, 11 to 5 and 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:28⅘. Only Three starters.

Sixth race, the Throggs Neck handicap, Withers' mile—Dixieline, 105, Shaw, 7 to 10 and out, won; Moor, 100, Dent, 15 to 1 and 3 to 1, second; Himself, 110, Miles, 7 to 5 and out, third. Time, 1:41⅘. Alsike also ran.

The Morris park entries for today:

First race, three-fourths of Withers' mile—King Hanover, 118; Gondine, 113; Bon Mot, 111; Col. Bill, 108; Numeral Batyan, 106; Khitah, 103.

Second race, selling, Withers' mile—Dr. Riddle, 113, Fatalist, Rough Rider, 103; Jack Demund, 105; Sharpshooter, 103; Vassal Duke, 98; Woden, 86; Miss J. 84.

Third race, the Marchmont, seven-eighths of Withers' mile—Water Boy, Flying Buttress, 125; Woden, Metalbert, Knight of Harlem, Green Mountain, Knickerbocker, Numeral, Dowell, Saturday, 115; Thame, 112; Flittimer, Destitute, 110.

Fourth race, the toboggan, Eclipse course—Ballyhoo Bey, 128; Cobourg, 122; Brigadier, 121; Cervera, 120; Smoke, Himself, 110; Arsenal, 106; England, 105; Lady Uncas, Dolgoa, 100; Namitor, 97; Par Excellence, 92.

Fifth race, selling, one and one-half furlongs—Monahust, 117; Navasota, 114; Dr. Hughes, Mount Kisco, Cinquevalli, Heir Apparent, Irish Lad, Rightful, 112; Rosewater, Ada Nay, Hergenle, Lone Note, 109.

Sixth race, handicap, Withers' mile—Water Cure, 123; Irritable, 120; Carbuncle, 119; Kilogram, 115; Far Rockaway, 111; Francesco, 110; Jankee, 108; Stonebrook, 107; Duckoy, 104; Handicapper, 98; Alsike, 93.

CLOSE AND EXCITING.

Fast Track and Fine Going at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, KY., May 5.—Perfect weather and a fast track characterized the second day's racing of the new Louisville Jockey club today. The racing was characterized by close and exciting finishes. Favorites captured the first, third and fifth races. Lyman Hay won, pulled up four lengths in front of Bourbon, the odds-favorite, in the second race. Coburn carried off the jockey honors, having two winning mounts and being placed three times. Summary:

First race, 5½ furlongs, selling—Premus, 109, Winkfield, 3 to 2, won; Nannie J., 110, Coburn, 3 to 1, second; J. J. T., 115, Callahan, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:08. The Geezer, Opera Girl, Lodi Crimmins, Sodden, Monny and Fairy Dell also ran.

Second race 4½ furlongs—Lyman, 108, Coburn, 2 to 1, won; Bourbon, 108, Winkfield, 3 to 5, second; Rasselas, 105, Powers, 5 to 1, third. Time, :55⅘. Rosaneo, Prince of Pleasure, Shooting Star and Gallant Smith also ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs, selling—Allyar, 118, J. Miller, 8 to 5, won; Dissenter, 114, Coburn, 4 to 1, second; Last Knight, 100, Lindsey, 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:14⅘. Ilagallara, Buckley, Iflee, Slips, Annie A. B., Bessie and Jim Nap also ran.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs—Glenwater, 105, Coburn, 2 to 1, won; Andy Williams, 105, Saused, 5 to 1, second; J. V. Kirby, 107, Winkfield, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:29⅕. Little Dell, South Elkhorn and Quality also ran.

Fifth race, 4½ furlongs—Mary Larana, 108, Slack, 6 to 5, won; Flora Willoughby, 108, Odom, 7 to 10, second; Sir Knight, 105, Coburn, 4 to 1, third. Time, :55⅘. Diamond and Rubies, Deborah, Love Wisely, Canzanetta and Lady Nutting also ran.

Sixth race, 5 furlongs, selling—M. F. Tarpey, 112, Miller, 6 to 1, won; Chorus Boy, 112, Slack, 2 to 1, second; John Yerkes, 112, Winkfield, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:01⅘. Temptress, Peat also ran.

Entries for Tuesday:

First race, 4½ furlongs—Flash of Light, Kentucky Belle, Gonfalon and Mary Sabot, 102; The Picket, Farmer Jim, Estrada Palma, Tom Hall, Savable, 103.

Second race, ⅞ mile—Insolence, Lady Smith, 108; Strave, Bluebelle, 107; Thornwild, Masterful, 112; Chorus Boy, Stamp, Lee King, 121; Kinloch Park, 122.

Third race, one mile, maidens, selling—Winona, Outfitter, Glinzeo, Auliphone, Trocadero, Flossie's King, 105; The Conqueror, Cross Ties, 107; Mandamus, Loka, 119; Henry Gibbs, 122.

Fourth race, 4½ furlongs, 2-year-old, selling—Barnacle, Rhein, Beal Spots, Our Sallie, 106; Googoo, 102; Sen. Morrison, Stepsround, 103; Grace, 98; Woden, 86; May J. 84.

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SHAKING TEAM UP.

Manager Risher Is After New Players.

Manager H. M. Risher of the H. L. A. C. baseball team is figuring on strengthening the team greatly owing to the disappointing showing made in the four games played this season. He expects to secure Nelson, who has played with Homestead last year, before the close of the week, as well as DeMoss, formerly with the Uniontown team. Edmundson, who will play third base, is at Indiana, and will be here Saturday. With these three, the infield will be considerably strengthened. Henry Youngman, who started to play third base, resigned yesterday, as he found that he could not get down his weight enough to make a showing.

South Sharon Won From Sharpsville.

SHARON, Pa., May 5.—The South Sharon team defeated the Sharpsville team this afternoon in one of the best games ever witnessed at Speedway park. The feature of the game was the playing of Evans and Yobo and the pitching of Hyland. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
South Sharon	0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 0—	4	5
Sharpsville	0 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 0—	3	5

Batteries—Hart, Hyland and Jones; Archer and Grandy.

MILLIONAIRES AID SCHOOL ATHLETICS

STEEL KINGS HELP TO BUY PRIZES FOR SCHENLEY PARK MEET.

Checks Sent by H. C. Frick, L. E. Phipps, C. E. Pollock and W. W. Blackburn to Management of the Championship Track Competition.

The millionaire steel kings of Pittsburgh have extended a helping hand to the local school athletes in their efforts to boom field and track sports. The Western Pennsylvania Interscholastic Track Athletic association is in receipt of checks from H. C. Frick, Lawrence E. Phipps, C. E. Pollock and W. W. Blackburn, adding $80 to the fund for the purchasing of prizes for the championship meet at Schenley on May 31.

The traction company has also given substantial support, $100 being contributed in consideration of the crowd of street car passengers which the interscholastic management hopes to attract to the park. With $180 already in the treasury for prizes the W. P. I. T. A. A. is confident of making this month's meet the greatest of its kind in Western Pennsylvania.

The only unsatisfactory reply so far received from invitations sent out is from the Rayen High school of Youngstown, which will not have a track team this season.

The Lincoln High school of Cleveland wrote early, expressing a desire to compete. The other schools invited are University school of Cleveland; Central High school of Cleveland, Washington and Jefferson academy, Kiskiminetas, Shadyside and Pittsburgh High school.

Word comes from Saltsburg that the Kiskiminetas athletes are training hard with a view to retaining the championship honors won last year at Washington, Pa., when 61 points were scored to 32 for Shadyside, which was second. Shadyside, Allegheny Preparatory and Kiski all expect to compete in the Washington invitation meet on May 24. High school is undecided.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

Managers Are Busy Arranging for Games to Be Played Next Saturday.

The American Eagles would like to hear from any 16 or 17-year-old teams. Address Morris Shannon, 76 Logan street.

The Young Crescents would like to have a game with any 8 or 9-year-old team on May 18. Address Louis Carl, 507 Wylie avenue.

C. A. C. would like to arrange with 15 or 16-year-old teams for Sunday games, with grounds preferred. Address A. Leisifer, 1536 Howard street, Allegheny.

The Montgomery A. C. would like to hear from all 14 and 15-year-old teams for Sunday games away from home. Address S. H. Walp, 1500 Boyle street, Allegheny.

The Eagle A. C. of Manchester would like to hear from all 9 and 10-year-old teams, Jeffersons and Eurekas preferred. Address John Myers, 1427 Fayette street, Allegheny.

The Croker A. C. would like to arrange for a game for Saturday, May 10, with some 9 or 10-year-old team. For games address Charles Beers, 1126 Windsor street, Allegheny.

The Joseph E. Melvins would like to hear from any printing house or bookbinding baseball team. Address William Lucas, care Joseph E. Melvin, First avenue and Ross street.

East Liberty is without a game for next Saturday, May 10, and any good team is requested to write for same. Also open dates for strong teams. Address Manager East Liberty B. B. C., Box 42, Station A.

The Joker A. C. defeated the Excelsior A. C. by a score of 14 to 13. The Joker A. C. would like to arrange a game with the Duquesne A. A. C. for any date. Address S. Volzer, 39 St. Oliver street, Pittsburgh.

The McDonald Blues are without a game for May 10 and 24th and would like to hear from some 14-year-old team having uniforms and grounds and half expenses guaranteed. Address Edwin Gibson, Box 637 McDonald, Pa.

Company A, Eighteenth regiment, N. G. P., has organized a baseball team and would like to hear from all amateur teams. A. C. & M. preferred. Address all communications to Otto Zange, 915 Hill avenue, Station D, Pittsburgh.

The Shaffer Athletic club of Etna would like to arrange two games for Decoration day with any strong 14-year-old teams. The Shaffers will open the season at McKeesport on May 10. Address James S. Kerr, 101 Butler street, Etna, Pa.

Oakmont would like to hear from the following teams: Beaver Falls, Homestead, Monessen, Ford City, Freeport and Fairbanks, concerning games written or wired. Address L. Gundy, care Oakmont baseball club, room 411 Union station, Pittsburgh.

The Etna Athletic club baseball team has been practicing regularly and is now in good form. The club's grounds, which were much damaged by the late heavy rains, are being rapidly put into fine condition, and the club will then be ready to meet all comers.

The manager of the Allentown A. C. would like to hear from the following teams in answer to letters sent them: The Jeannette Jrs., Superior of Dravosburg, New Brighton A. C., Olympias of Beaver Falls, Steubenville High school and Castle Shannon. Address J. H. Wangeman, manager, care American Tin Plate Co., Star works, city.

The Allentown A. C. would like to hear from all 16-year-old teams having grounds for games in July and August, also for two games on Decoration day and July 4, with some out of town team, as the manager wishes to complete his schedule this week. Address John H. Wangeman, manager, care American Tin Plate Co., Star works, city.

The Wilmerding baseball club has organized into a strong team and would like to arrange opening game May 17 with some strong team, Iroquois, Hillvale or Cottage preferred. Following is their line-up: Price, Craig, Yank West, Zumpe, Maitland, McClelland, McElhose, Ash, Wilmerdings. Address R. J. Anderson, Wilmerding, Pa.

The Wilson A. C. has arranged the following schedule: May 10, Mellwood A. C.; May 17 open; May 24, Castle Shannon; May 30, Iroquois; May 31, open; June 7, Mellwood A. C.; June 14, open; June 21, Dallas A. C.; June 28, Beltzhoover A. C.; July 4, Castle Shannon; July 5, Avondale Reserves; July 12, open; July 19, Belmar A. C.; July 26, Edgeworth A. C.; August 2, J. C. Littles; August 9, Latrobe A. C.; August 16, Nationals; August 23, Glassmere; August 30, open, and all Saturdays in September.

GOLF AT NEW CASTLE.

Pittsburgh Clubs Are Scheduled to Play There.

NEW CASTLE, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—The course of the New Castle Golf club has been formally opened for the playing season and golfing clubs from other cities will be entertained here during the coming summer, notably representatives of the Pittsburgh Field club and the Warren golf club. Teams from both clubs contested here last summer against the New Castle golfers, who played return games with both. The local course has been greatly improved during the past spring and is now among the finest in the state. The course is yet one of nine holes, but there is a wish among many of its members to maintain an 18-hole course. The club numbers among its members prominent society and business men, it having become almost a fad among the latter to take daily exercise over the course. The club now has a handsome club house, where afternoon teas and receptions will be given during the playing season. Through the efforts of the club, golf has been established on a permanent footing here, its position being strengthened by the fact that this city has no regular baseball club at present.

STILL FIGHTING THE CASE.

American League Goes Into Court for the Players.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 5.—Argument was heard by the court of common pleas No. 5 today on a petition presented by the local club of the American baseball league, which requested that players Lajoie, Fraser and Bernhard, who were recently enjoined from playing ball with the American league, be permitted to continue their profession under the auspices of the American league, pending an appeal of the injunction suits to the supreme court. The request was opposed by counsel for the Philadelphia National league, which is the plaintiff in the original suits. The court took the papers in the case and reserved decision.

POWERS PROVED TOO CLEVER FOR FATHER ROBERTS

First Handicap Player to Beat Scratch Man in the Tourney.

SOME CLEVER SHOTS MADE

Powers Put Up a Very Fine Display and Produced One Shot That Caused Surprise—Marshall Beat Phillippi in a Closely Played Game.

The two games at the Great Northern billiard hall yesterday were of the see-saw variety, and it was a difficult thing for anyone of the spectators to tell who was going to ultimately prove the winner. In the afternoon game Powers (180) was the first handicap man to succeed in defeating any of the scratch men.

His victim was Mr. Roberts, known to the habitues as "Old Father Time," for the reason that the oldest patron of the room cannot tell when he first began playing billiards. These two men were certainly passing and repassing each other, so that an added zest was given to the contest.

There were a number of fine shots made, notably one by Powers in going twice up and down the table, and another in playing a force follow with reverse English. To many this play was not understandable, but it was a perfectly legitimate shot, and was called by George Beymer before the attempt was made. Roberts did not appear to have the same stroke he had in his previous games, besides which nearly all the breaks were against him.

In the evening Marshall and Phillippi were the contestants. Both are scratch men and from the manner in which Marshall started off, the presumption was that he was going to make a decided runaway game of it. He won the bank, and on his first attempt scored 19 points.

In the first five innings he had made 31 points, while his opponent could do no better than count ciphers. Phillippi, however, turned the first 50, and led by a few points from this point until both had entered on their last string.

It now appeared to center on which man had the most nerve, and which could force the balls to break right for them. Both seemed to be equally nervy, but Marshall had Dame Fortune on his side, and finally succeeded in winning by a score of 200 to 179, and with an average of about 3 1-8, which is very good, considering that both men played a more or less open game all through.

The players this afternoon will be Powers and English, who has not yet lost a game, and in the evening Roberts and Jack.

AFTERNOON GAME.

Powers (180)—0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 3, 2, 5, 4, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 3, 0, 5, 12, 4, 3, 0, 1, 4, 5, 0, 0, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 5, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 3, 5, 3, 7, 5, 3, 0, 0, 0, 0, 5, 1, 0, 4, 2, 5, 0, 0, 5, 16, 2, 1, 4, 0, 0, 0, 3, 3, 2, 30, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 15, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0

ANTI-SCOTT BOOM DWINDLES BEFORE FIGURES

Of Conventions Held, He Controls Four to Three in J. L. Caldwell's Interest.

LATTER'S FULL STRENGTH

Later Tests Will Occur in the North, Where the Sitting Senator Is by Far the Most Popular—The Sectional Issue Seems to Fall Flat.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, 076 Fifteenth St., N. W.
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.

News was received today at the capital from West Virginia that the claims made by the friends of J. L. Caldwell, an aspirant for senatorial honors to succeed Senator Scott, are without foundation. Mr. Caldwell has announced his candidacy on the platform that the southern end of the state should have a representative in the United States senate. No personal opposition is made against Senator Scott, and his course in the senate is universally commended.

This fall 13 senatorial districts will elect state senators, and owing to the redistricting of the state last fall, in two of these districts one of the senators each will serve only two years. In these 13 districts thus far seven districts have held conventions to nominate state senators, with the result that Senator Scott has four and Mr. Caldwell three.

Last Saturday district conventions were held in Mingo county, one of the two Democratic counties in the McDowell-Wyoming-Wayne-Mingo district, and Senator Scott received a decided majority of the instructed delegates to the county convention, which meets at Williamson next Saturday. McDowell, the heavy Republican county of this district and of the state, is solid for Senator Scott, and lacks only two votes of controlling the nomination in that district. This district lies adjacent to Mr. Caldwell's home.

Adjoining this is the other extreme "southern end" district in the state, and Senator Scott already has a walkover there. This district is composed of Mercer, Summers, Raleigh and Monroe. Raleigh county has held its convention and, in addition to instructing for Senator Scott, passed a series of strong resolutions disapproving the sectional issue.

Mr. Caldwell has secured the two senators in the Kanawha-Boone-Logan district, one of whom only will serve four years. This district is the hot-bed of the sectional issue, and no fight for delegates was made by Senator Scott's friends.

Both these districts disposed of Mr. Caldwell's name has reached its greatest extent, since nothing has come from the northern end of the state, which is at every opportunity instructing for Senator Scott. This was shown in the mass meeting of Jefferson county Republicans held last Saturday, which instructed for Senator Scott, and the meeting of the Grant county Republicans held last week. In Grant county an openly-avowed Scott man was nominated for the senate, and since that county has been given the right to name the candidate for that senatorial district it will be the man nominated.

CHARLES W. METZGAR.

A MILLION GERMAN VOTES IN BALANCE

German Republican Threatens His Party With Loss of Them If Congress Neglects the Boers.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 3.—A large delegation appeared before a sub-committee of the house committee on foreign affairs today in the interest of the Boers, Dr. J. C. Hexamer of the National German alliance speaking first. He urged the adoption of a resolution asking the president to communicate with Great Britain an expression of sympathy for the Boers and expressing the hope that the unfortunate differences may be settled. He said England would not take umbrage, being enfeebled by the war. He said he advocated the resolutions as a Republican, and if they were pigeonholed it would mean the loss of 1,000,000 votes of the German alliance.

Mr. Hexamer of the Boer legislative committee said the governors of several states are strongly pro-Boer.

Through Representative W. A. Smith, a report of L. M. DeBruyn was presented on the use of New Orleans as a base for military supplies for Great Britain. Others spoke of the use of American ports as supply camps for the British army. Representative Smith also urged action by congress. Representative Sulzer said nine-tenths of the American people would approve a resolution of sympathy.

Representative Adams of the sub-committee, closing the hearing, took exception to the introduction of politics. He said he was not a politician or a domestic politician, but of international law.

LETTER CHAIN SCHEME.

It Will Probably Result in Three Pennsylvania Firms Being Denied Use of Mails.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—(Special.)—Assistant Attorney General Tyner, for the postoffice department, has under consideration the cases of three Pennsylvania firms who have been making profits by novel methods, and will render his decision thereon Thursday, with the chances that they will be forbidden to use the mails for their purposes. One of the firms is in Wilkesbarre, another in Harrisburg and the third in Tioga county. The plan of operation was the same in all cases, and the three firms, it is alleged, have victims all over Pennsylvania.

Circulars would be sent to persons selected at random all over the state. They would be advised that if they wished to earn $5 a week easily at home, to send $2.50 to the Wilkesbarre firm for a fountain pen. On sending the amount named, the victim would receive a cheap pen and instructions to write ten circular letters daily to their friends, calling attention to the "great bargain" offer. At the end of the first week, they would receive $1.50 from the firm to pay for the postage on the 60 letters sent, and the following week the same amount for 60 letters, and in addition $5 for their services. The limitation was, of course, that the second week rate would continue.

As the pens cost the Wilkesbarre firm only 80 cents each by wholesale, the victims would detect the swindle, few would enter the scheme of writing the endless chain of letters, and the profit of $1.20 on the pen enabled the firm to pay those victims who really wrote the letters and complied with the terms of the offer. The scheme, of course, would be profitable if only a few of the victims entered upon the course of letter writing, but would fail if a fair proportion of victims did.

The Wilkesbarre firm was coining money when the postoffice department stepped them, and there is said to be $20,000 in the letters now held up at Wilkesbarre addressed to the firm. The other firms did as well.

Postmasters were appointed today as follows: Pennsylvania—Beaver, Center, Crawford county, J. C. Drum; Beggleton, Bedford county, M. J. Cobler; New Sheffield, Beaver county, E. W. Swearingen.

West Virginia—Cortland, Tucker county, William Hill; Petrey, Jackson county, G. J. Harrison; Shady Spring, Raleigh county, E. B. McCormick.

FIRST ENVOY TO CUBA.

H. G. Squiers, a Hero of the Defense of Legation in Peking, Chosen. Gen. Bragg Consul General.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—H. G. Squiers, secretary of the legation at Peking, has been selected by the president to be minister to Cuba, and Gen. E. S. Bragg of Wisconsin has been selected as consul general at Havana.

Mr. Squiers' selection fulfills the very first requirement laid down by the president, namely, that the minister to Havana should be a man of diplomatic experience. He is a native of Canada, but was appointed from New York. In 1894 he was appointed second secretary of the United States embassy at Berlin, retiring in 1897. In January, 1898, he was appointed secretary of the United States legation at Peking, remaining there constantly until a few months ago, when he returned to the United States on leave. His connection with the defense of the legations during the boxer uprising is highly creditable. He has had military experience and by virtue of that fact was practically in charge of the legation defenses.

Gen. Bragg, the new consul general at Havana, was born in Unadilla, N. Y., in 1827. He entered the Union army as a captain in 1861 and reached the grade of brigadier general in the regular establishment. He served for some years in congress and afterward was appointed United States minister to Mexico. His present home is at Fon du Lac, Wis.

THE DUTY ON SUGAR.

Havemeyer Contends Its Removal or Reduction Would Not Affect the Article's Price.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—President Havemeyer of the American Sugar Refining Company today continued his testimony before the committee on relations with Cuba. He said beet sugar usually sold 10 points below cane sugar at Missouri river points. He did not object to the difference in price, but to the exclusive features of the beet sugar contracts.

Referring to Mr. Havemeyer said attacks were made on the trust to get foreign sugars at a lower price. Cuban sugar would cost the company as much with the concession as without it. If the whole duty was taken off, the Cubans would receive the benefit for a time. He said the apprehensions of the beet sugar men are fallacies.

Mr. Havemeyer said if the tariff on sugar is reduced 20 per cent neither the trust nor the consumer would get the benefit of it, because the price would immediately advance to offset this action.

Senator Teller insisted that the trust had the power to say to the Cubans: "We won't buy your sugar unless you put it at a certain figure;" but Mr. Havemeyer contended that this was not so.

NATIONAL BANKING NEWS.

New Vice President and New Reserve Agent for Cosmopolitan.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—(Special.)—The comptroller of the currency announces the selections of new officers by national banks: The Cosmopolitan of Pittsburgh—John McClurg, vice president. The First of Everett—J. Grant Hanks, vice president. The Clarion county of Edenburg—C. E. Crawford and J. C. Berlin, vice presidents, and F. L. Ludwig, assistant cashier. The First of North Lima—Jeff Richereck, vice president. The First of New Matamoras, O.—John W. Berentz cashier, vice Richard T. Brown.

The comptroller of the currency has extended until May 5, 1902, the corporate existence of the First National bank of Troy, O., and the First National bank of Scranton, Pa.

The comptroller has approved of the selection of the Central National bank of New York as a reserve agent for the Cosmopolitan National bank of Pittsburgh.

THE PENSION ROLL.

Veterans, Their Widows and Dependents Provided For.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—Pensions were granted today as follows:

Pennsylvania—Richard D. Himes, Allegheny $6; James M. King, Titusville $6; George Black, Huntingdon, $10; Charles Weirick, Carlisle, $12. Andrew J. Montgomery, McGees Mills, $12; James Vincent, Apollo, $12; Alexander R. Oliver, Kittanning, $10; James P. Hays, Erie, $10; Michael McCullough, Redmans Mills, $10; Oliver D. States, McConnellstown, $8; Jeremiah Hoffman, Bellefonte, $12; Orlando P. Holler, Howard, $10; Albert Bradford, Sewickley, $8; Abel Marsha, Mercer, $14; Joseph M. Buffington, Indiana, $6; Joseph Gray, Newton Hamilton, $24; Jeremiah H. Brubaker, Mulberry, $10; Harris Hoover, Carnegie, $6; Solomon Hamer, Petersburg, $12; George Hoverter, Punxsutawney, $8.

Ohio—Adam Furnis, North Royalton, $6; John Donaldson, Harlem Springs, $8; Adam Lanstitel, Marietta, $12; Thomas Thompson, Vadis, $10; Samuel Dalton, West Salem, $12; Jacob S. Lindsay, Glouster, $10; James Chamberlain, East Palestine, $10; Jenkins Nichols, Short Creek, $8; John Dilley, Burbank, $8; Jeremiah Hoyt, Wauseon, $17; Catharine M. Fulmer, Canton, $12; minors of William H. Havanor, Cadiz, $12.

West Virginia—Benjamin F. Ridenour, School House, $8; John Ford, Friarshill, $8; Mary A. Henderson, Leroy, $8; Margaret Martin, Valley Point, $8.

NATIONAL CAPITAL NOTES.

The house held a very brief session, adjourning as a mark of respect for Congressman Otey, who died Sunday.

William E. Bundy of Ohio has been appointed by the president to be United States attorney for the southern district of Ohio.

The senate Mr. Cockrell's amendment to the sundry civil bill providing for the postponement of the Louisiana purchase exposition to 1904.

Secretary Moody has authorized Capt. Dayton to convene a court of inquiry to examine into the arrest and imprisonment of officers of the United States army.

Joseph H. Gilder, a relative of Richard Watson Gilder, has been appointed United States dispatch agent at New York, vice Vacoss, caused by the death of B. F. Stevens.

The president sent to the senate the nomination of Frank P. Sargent to be commissioner general of immigration. The selection has been announced in these columns.

Charles A. Mansuy of Ohio has resigned a $1,200 clerkship in the war department.

Both the sundry civil appropriation bill and the bill for the purchase of the Rosebud Indian reservation were passed by the senate.

The chief justice of the United States supreme court rendered opinions in two test cases affecting the transit of Chinamen through the United States to other countries, sustaining the action of the government authorities in having them detained at San Francisco.

Nearly $8,500,000 was distributed by the secretary of the treasury today in national bank notes among the depository banks as follows: Pittsburgh, Pa., First, Emporium, Pa.; Jefferson County, Brookville, Pa., and Federal, Pittsburgh.

MAYOR JONES DEFIANT.

Says Ohio Legislature Has No Right to Depose Officials Elected by the People.

TOLEDO, O., May 5.—Mayor S. M. Jones, who is also president of the board of police commissioners, today refused to surrender the police department to the new board of police commissioners created by an act of legislature and appointed by Gov. Nash.

A demand was made upon him by President Knissely of the new board and the mayor refused to grant the request or recognize the authority of the new board. He takes the broad ground that there is no authority superior to the will of the people and refuses to recognize the right of the legislature to oust a board elected by the voters of the city.

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A CORNER BLOCK IN WOOD STREET BRINGS $100,000

David P. Black Has Bought the Frauenheim Property at No. 524.

SALE IN THIRD AVENUE

Monessen Lots Worth $22,000 Are Disposed Of—Federal Street Property Sold for $13,000—New $30,000 School House for Braddock.

Wood street property came into notice again yesterday with the announcement that David P. Black had purchased from A. A. Frauenheim the lot at No. 524 for $100,000. The deal was negotiated by the Real Estate Trust Company. The Frauenheim lot has a frontage of 20 feet in the east side of Wood street at the corner of Virgin alley and a depth of 60 feet. The improvements consist of a three-story brick building the first and third floors of which are occupied by the establishment of M. P. Greer, dealer in cut glass and chinaware, and the second floor by the wall paper store of W. L. Wagner. Nothing was learned as to the probable disposition of the property further than it was purchased for an investment. The rate of sale, $5,000 a front foot, is about the same that has been paid for nearby properties in the last few months. The Third National bank property, 36x60 feet, on the opposite corner of Virgin alley brought $5,555 a front foot, but the building is considerable better than the Frauenheim building. Captain W. S. Brown paid $3,000 a foot for the property at No. 523 Wood street in the winter, the lot being 25x80 feet. The lot at No. 516, which was purchased last week by Stanislaus Zoch, brought only $4,130 a front foot, which, however, is considered a good figure for an inside lot.

Doctor Sells Third Ave. Home.

The property at No. 420 Third avenue has been sold to George C. Burgwin through the agency of Ira M. Burchfield. It has been owned and occupied by Dr. William W. Whittier for some time as a residence and office. The lot is 20x84.5 feet in the north side of Third avenue, near Cherry alley, Second ward, and is improved with a three-story brick house. Mr. Burgwin also bought through the same agency an improved lot, 31x66.5 feet in the north side of Crawford street, near Wylie avenue, Eighth ward, the consideration for the two properties was $23,750.

Martha Jane Hill has purchased from Edwin M. Hill and others, trustees of Elgin A. Hill, four properties for $30,600. The largest one consists of six lots measuring 120x126 feet in the west side of Lytle street, near Courtland street, Twenty-third ward. She also bought three lots, 60x111 feet, in the north side of the same street near Blair street. Also an improved property, 16x100 feet, in the south side of Butler street, Eighteenth ward.

Quick Home Sales at Monessen.

Burns & Martin have sold within the past few days 79 lots in their new plan at Monessen at prices ranging at from $250 to $300 each. The plan, which was bought from Thomas McMahon in January, has been christened "McMahon's Third Addition." It includes 158 lots, 30x100 each, which adjoin the borough of Monessen on the south and are directly across the Monongahela river from Charleroi. Surveyors are now laying out streets, which will be graded within a few weeks. A system of water works is also to be installed soon. The plan adjoins the works of the Pittsburgh Steel Company, which will employ by July 1 at least 2,000 men. Other industries of Monessen will bring the total number of laboring men up to 5,000 by that date, which accounts for the great scarcity of houses in the borough. Many of those who have bought lots on the easy payment plan are preparing to build at once and Burns & Martin are now negotiating with a leading Pittsburgh firm for the erection of 500 frame houses of four and six rooms each. The houses will cost on an average $1,800 each and, if the deal goes through, 100 of them will be completed by August 1.

Maj. Brown Makes a Sale.

The Real Estate Trust Company has sold for Maj. A. M. Brown to Louis Rosenblatt and Jacob Schein the properties at Nos. 38 and 40 Federal street, for $13,000. The lots measure 40x66 feet, on the west side of Federal street, near Fifth avenue, and extend back to State alley. Two large brick houses occupy the front of the lots and two smaller dwellings the rear.

The C. H. Wanner Company, at its public sale of lots in the Pleasant View plan, in Elliott, on Saturday, disposed of the following: Lots 3, 7, 9, 14, 31, 32, 41, 42 and 43. The lots are 30x100 feet and brought from $300 to $400 each. They face in Montgomery, Gamble, High and Nimick streets. The purchasers were residents of Sharpsburg and Etna, three of whom will erect six-room frame houses at once at a cost of $3,000 each.

Braddock is to have another school building to cost about $30,000. It will take the place of the old structure that stands at the corner of Talbot avenue and Eleventh street, which has been used for school purposes since 1858. It was the oldest school building in the Monongahela valley and was for years the only polling place in the boroughs of Braddock, Rankin, North Braddock, Swissvale, Edgewood, East Pittsburgh and Turtle Creek.

Minor Realty Deals.

Howley avenue, Mrs. Ellen Walker sold to Oliver F. Beet an improved lot, 20x97 feet, on the north side of Howley avenue, near Thirty-ninth street, Sixteenth ward, for $3,000.

Dilworth street: Benjamin F. Hadley sold to Robert S. Stuart an improved lot, 25x99 feet, at the northeast corner of Dilworth street and an unnamed alley, Thirty-second ward, for $2,700.

Harcum's alley: Martin Lux sold to Lucas Schuster an improved lot, 20x57 feet, in Harcum's alley, Twenty-fourth ward, for $1,825.

Lelia street: William T. Croner sold to Mrs. Mary E. Wiley an improved lot, 30x 90 feet, in Lelia street, Thirty-second ward, for $1,600.

Lloyd street: S. A. Dickie sold to George F. Siefried a lot, 23x112.5 feet, on the east side of Lloyd street, near Edgerton avenue, Twenty-second ward, for $1,050.

Ormsby street: George J. Staudinger sold to Andrew Kremer an eight-ninths interest in an improved lot, 20x49 feet, on the north side of Ormsby street, near South Eighteenth street, Twenty-seventh ward, for $1,700.

Lydia street: David C. Price sold to James F. Connors a lot, 35x144 feet, on the east side of Lydia street, Twenty-third ward, for $875.

The bureau of building inspection issued the following permits yesterday: To Daniel O'Donnell, frame two-story and attic dwelling, at 203 Thirty-third street, Thirteenth ward, to cost $1,600; United Real Estate & Construction Company, one-story brick conf. house in Kennet Square, below Craft avenue, Fourteenth ward, to cost $3,000; William McGill, frame two-story and attic dwelling on Whittier street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $1,500.

A. D. Wilson of Allegheny has sold for Haworth & Dewhurst, limited, of Pittsburgh, the property at the corner of Webster avenue and Elm street, Pittsburgh, consisting of a lot 22x90 feet, on which are erected five brick dwellings, for $10,000 cash. The purchase is for investment.

A. D. Wilson has sold to a prominent business man the property of Rebecca Hunter at the northwest corner of Sandusky and South Diamond streets, Allegheny, for $8,750 cash.

The Allegheny Real Estate Company sold for Charlotte E. Hoag a frame dwelling on the corner of Ellis and Hawkins avenues, lot 20x150 feet; consideration, $2,500 cash.

Transfers Recorded.

Hay J Walter ex to C Zang, April 26, '02, Kilbuck twp, 61x120, Norwood ave.....$ 400
Miller Chas R ex to Ferdinand J Hanley, April 1, '02, Penn twp, 25x100, Verona boulevard..... 2,200
Williamsburg Bank to Jas O McCavitt, April 8, '02, 20th wd, Pgh, 26x70, Parkhurst st..... 2,150
Debold Julius J to Patrick J Glancey, April 5, '02, McKees Rocks, 24x100, Broadway..... 4,000
Lang Catharine to Wm J Wyland, April 7, '02, 10th wd, Allg, 25x120, Ellis ave. 4,000
Trissel Thos ex to Jas Simpson, Jan 11, '01, Baldwin twp, 40x141, Main st.... 400
Fidelity T & T Co Exr to James A Murphy, Nov 26, '01, 11th wd, Pgh, 52x96, Bassett st..... 3,025
Marshall C S to Belle L Pratt, Feb 12, '02, 37th wd, Pgh, 25x105, Blackadore ave..... 4,000
Stewart Allemus J to Wm Sturm, May 5, '02, Mifflin twp, 150x102, Maple st.... 2,700
Chesbrough Land Dept to Amelia H Hitty, April 19, '02, 21st wd, Pgh, lot, Lemington ave..... 3,000
Wilson P P to August Seibel, April 19, '02, Mifflin twp, 115 acres..... 3,500
Allen Annie to Mary B Stahl, April 28, '02, Sheraden, 20x100, Glen Mawr ave. 400
Hoffman Frederick Z to Jas Wilkinsburg, lot, Rebecca ave..... 7,400
Gleason F S to R T Mortimer, Mch 17, '02, 7th wd, McKeesprt, Orrdel, lot..... 3,000
Reiter Jos H to same, Mch 14, '02, 9th wd, McKeesprt, 25x100, Cherry Lane.. 4,000
McManus Patrick to Washington Midwell, April 15, '02, Verona, 47x100, Parks st..... 3,000
Shearer Janet to Nick Zephur, Mch 19, '02, 30th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Hatfield st. 3,800
Fornabil Domenick to Samuel Winnebiez, Mch 10, '02, 34th wd, Pgh, 25 x94, Washington road..... 1,450
Morgan Wm O to Kontz, Mch 12, '02, 17th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Harrison st. 2,200
Geiggins David J to Arthur A Morris, Mch 1, '02, 18th wd, Pgh, 19x100, Butler st..... 4,000
Jacob Michael to Martin Lydon, Mch 5, '02, 14th wd, Pgh, 18x48, High st.... 1,900
Hohen Wm to Edmond Hornor, Mch 22, '02, Duquesne, lot, Fifth st..... 1,050
Beddon Chas A to Joshua Davis, Nov 18, '01, Duquesne, 80x48, Peter st..... 500
Mackey Wm H to Lee A Fisher, Feb 18, '02, Duquesne, 25x120, Fourth st... 700
Gessner Frank F to George E McMurray, April 21, '02, 35th wd, Pgh, 25x120, Wyoming st..... 2,400
Czajoski Adam to Robt Jasuski, May 2, '02, Harrison twp, 25x120, Spruce st. 200
Jaskoski John to Catherine Czajoski, May 3, '02, Harrison twp, 25x120, Spruce st..... 1,000
Milheim Jacob F ex to Geo R Campsie, April 22, '02, 32nd wd, Corbett st.... 1,250
Reizbach John to Marthen Andevisivic, April 5, '02, 8th wd, Ally, 22x270, Butler st..... 1,350
Heslep Jos B estate to Wm H Summers, April 9, '02, Turtle Creek, 21x150, Penn ave..... 3,250
Donovan Daniel G to Annie M Roach, April 29, '02, Duquesne, 58x100, Kennedy ave..... 1,450
Hartzell H J ex to Harry F Mathews, March 14, '02, Baldwin twp, 25x130, South View ave..... 350
Jones Harriet N to Thos H Porter, Mch 5, '02, Sharpsburg, 24x76, Cecil st.... 2,500
Zange Christian ex to Mary Q Neeson, April 25, '02, 4th wd, Ally, 24x50, Cherry ave..... 1,800
Jackman Edward F to Arthur H Chaplin, Mch 27, '02, 6th wd, Ally, 48x138, Fenmore ave..... 7,500
Ingham Geo R ex to Jos M Hurman, Mch 14, '02, Etna, 25x100, Catharine st. 2,600
Wright Chas to Laura D Devore, May 3, '02, 37th wd, Pgh, 20x86, Perchment st..... 1,500
Kohne Chas C ex to American Foundry & Mfg Co, April 26, '02, 2nd wd, 1x48 x86, Kansas st..... 20,000
West End Land Co to Adolph Sanero, April 1, '02, Stowe twp, 24x110, Fair oaks..... 200
Wallace Louis W ex to Georgiana A Miller, April 7, '02, Crafton, 50x150, Sawmill run..... 5,500
Bon Air Land Co to Frank J Becker, Nov 2, '01, West Liberty, 25x120, Weirs ave..... 200
Marshall C S to Belle L Pratt, Feb 18, '02, 37th wd, Pgh, 25x107, Blackadore ave..... 4,000
Watkins Thos A ex to D G McGrew, Mch 14, '02, 19th wd, Pgh, 29x89, St Clair st..... 7,500
Patton Jos N ex to Wm J Payne, Mch 21, '02, 31st wd, Pgh, 50x150, Excelsior st..... 2,450
Eccles Jas M ex to F H Westcoff, May 5, '02, Moultzhower, 50x100, Myrtle ave
Stewart Jno N ex to Julius Cordier, April 19, '02, East Deer twp, 104x140, Bakerstown road..... 2,000
Fath Jos ex to Jno Mosley, April 5, '02, Mifflin twp, 3 lots..... 850
Beatty Mary A to Sarah E Douthett, May 1, '02, Wilkinsburg, 30x128, Kelly st..... 2,200
Powell G W ex to Rose Corn, Mch 7, '02, 37th wd, Pgh, 30x120, Ash st..... 4,500
Weber Chas to Fred Bauer, Mch 20, '02, 8th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Wilson st.... 4,000
Stelley Susan to Jno H Wilcoxen, Feb 6, '02, Jefferson twp, lot..... 750

Mortgages Recorded.

Miller S T to Ally Trust Co, May 2, '02.$ 2,500
Corbet Chas M ex to same, Apr 30, '02. 4,000
Schwerdle Wilhelmina to Hazelwood & G T Co, May 3, '02..... 900
*Crouch Wm H to School Dist Port Vue, May 3, '02..... 2,000
Beach W S to same, Apr 15, '02..... 700
Grunder D C et ux to German B & L A, May 3, '02..... 1,500
Kogak Michael to same, May 3, '02.... 800
Jocabs W et ux to same, May 3, '02.. 1,200
Eckel Conrad et ux to Keystone B & L A, May 3, '02..... 800
Kissinger Frank to Riceville B & L A, Apr 26, '02..... 800
Mangold Nicholas et ux to Orpheus B & L A, May 2, '02..... 5,000
Enright F J et ux to Penna B & L A, May 2, '02..... 1,500
Gallagher W L et al to Keystone State B & L A, Apr 30, '02..... 4,600
Kaiser Joseph to Penna B & L A, May 3, '02..... 900
Tanner Joseph to McCandless B & L A, Apr 30, '02..... 2,145
Davis Jno J et ux to Savings Fund B & L A, May 3, '02..... 975
Spinnenweber Co to Mt O & K B & L A, Apr 23, '02..... 800
Rowe James et ux to Natural Gas B & L A, May 2, '02..... 200
Rowland John et ux to Cosmopolitan B & L A, May 3, '02..... 1,400
Sanil Jacob to Tastings B & L A, Apr 30, '02..... 1,200
Elg Fridolfa et ux to same, Apr 19, '02. 1,000
Albrecht L A to Dime B & L A, May 1, '02..... 1,900
Vernon John et ux to J H McLarn, May 1, '02..... 1,500
Same to W Bamford, May 5, '02..... 2,500
Koenig Chas to C C Luft, May 2, '02.. 700
Kunkel Anna M to Board of Ch Ex, May 5, '02..... 500
*Zimmer Chas to R Ries, Mch 25, '02... 2,500
Donnelly John to J W Herron, Apr 15, '02 100
*Sanders Harry et ux to Thos Kennedy, May —, '02..... 1,000
Stupps Wm to A J Stewart, May 5, '02.. 1,500
Haslett A N to Emma Hatek, May 5, '02 1,000
*Hadley B F to R S Stuart, Apr 28, '02. 2,500
Ellenberger Miles to J N Bemis, Apr 30, '02..... 950
Dick J C to G T McDonald, Apr 15, '02. 150
Brown Wallace E to C A Ridle, Mch 1, '02..... 500
Vaughan John et ux to J G Kelly, May 5, '02..... 1,000
*Clark D L to Isaac West, May 1, '02.. 28,000
Hess Addie to Jno Felix, Apr 12, '02... 600
Gerdts Fred to H Y Boyce, May 3, '02. 700
*Howe Thos J et ux to G A Klug, Apr 24, '02..... 700
*Burman Henry to A J Kuhn, Apr 9, '02 322
Mahan David E to G D Packer, May 3, '02..... 1,350
McGough Thos to W W Blackburn et al, May 5, '02..... 1,300
*Brennan James et ux to K Q Bigham, Mch 22, '02..... 300
Dorty Wm N to D G Donovan, Apr 28, '02..... 600
Coe Wm S to S B Barnard, Apr 24, '02. 1,400
*Finton Wm T et ux to C R O'Neil, Apr 23, '02..... 700
Brunot H E et ux to Dollar Sav Bk, May 1, '02..... 5,000
Simons C A to same, Apr 1, '02..... 2,000
Walmer A J to Peoples Sav Bk, May 2, '02..... 5,000
Carpenter A L et ux to same, May 5, '02 2,000
Rabenstein W J et ux to same, May 5, '02 2,700

*Purchase money.

ANOTHER MASS MEETING WILL BE HELD SOON

Local Committee of the United Irish League of America Working for Home Rule.

The Central Branch of Western Pennsylvania of the United Irish League of America held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the office of Edward F. Duffy in Diamond street to wind up the affairs of the recent meeting held at the Avenue theater which was addressed by the Hon. W. H. K. Redmond, member of the Irish Nationalist party in the English parliament, and to hear the reports of the various committees in charge of the establishment of branches of the league in Western Pennsylvania.

The committee reported that the organization now has 10 branches in Allegheny county and the ways and means of continuing the work of extending the branches to other counties was discussed at some length. It was decided to send special invitations to those who had attended the meeting at the Avenue theater to attend a meeting within the next two weeks, upon a date to be determined by the executive committee, to devise ways and means for assisting in the objects of the league through the Central Branch of Western Pennsylvania.

A resolution was also passed instructing Edward F. Duffy and the Rev. Father Joseph Toner, members of the national executive committee, to attend a conference of the committee at the Hoffman house, New York, on Thursday, to use every endeavor to have the national convention meet in this city. It is expected that the convention will convene in September, but the date has not yet been decided upon. In addition to the delegates from all sections of the United States and Canada, it is expected that several members of the Irish Nationalist party in parliament, including the Hon. W. E. K. Redmond, will be present.

Edward F. Duffy, president of the meeting, said that they were in communication with the Hon. Joseph Devlin, M. P., who is still in this country, to come to this city for a visit of 10 days or two weeks to make addresses and to assist in organizing branches of the association, in which line of work he is said to be decidedly effective. Mr. Devlin is anxious to come, but he has not as yet been able to fix the date.

R. M. GULICK WILL MANAGE THE BIJOU

The Death of Henry M. Bennett Made P. J. McNulty One of the Active Partners.

The firm of R. M. Gulick & Co., which, previous to April 1, consisted of Henry M. Bennett, owning a two-thirds interest, and R. M. Gulick owning one-third, on that date changed its composition, Mr. Bennett retiring and disposing of his interest in the lease to R. M. Gulick and Peter J. McNulty, who became equal partners. The arrangement was made with Mr. Bennett last January and went into effect April 1. The lease made by Mr. Bennett with Messrs. Gulick and McNulty covers a period of 14 years, and, while neither Mr. Gulick nor Mr. McNulty would state the consideration, it is believed to be in the neighborhood of $20,000 per year.

Mr. McNulty, the new member of the firm, is not new to the business, but has, as business manager for Mr. Bennett, been closely identified with the affairs of the Bijou for many years. R. M. Gulick will remain the active manager and the firm will continue to conduct the business as heretofore under the firm name of R. M. Gulick & Co.

The contractors who are at work remodeling the Bijou theater building so that it will be opened next August as a ground floor theater with two elevated and a gallery, already have almost all the work completed on the first floor underneath the present theater, including the stage and a part of the first balcony. The late H. M. Bennett, who owned the theater building, completed all the arrangements for the new theater before his death and left explicit instructions that the work should be completed, as is being done.

LEASE PROJECT RATIFIED

Union Traction Company of Philadelphia Accepts Mack's Proposal and Avoids Competition.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 5.—At a special meeting today of the stockholders of the Union Traction Company, which controls all the street railway lines in this city, resolutions were adopted favoring the lease of the company's franchises to the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company and empowering the officers to execute the lease, which becomes operative July 1. Of the 600,000 shares of the company 442,623 were voted in favor of the project.

Another resolution empowering the directors to issue $1,500,000 50-year 4 per cent collateral trust bonds to fund the company's debt was adopted. The lease is for a period of 999 years. The Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company is capitalized at $30,000,000, having 600,000 shares of the par value of $50, 10 per cent to be paid in.

The new company, of which John W. Mack, a local contractor, is at the head, secured from city councils under an act of the last legislature the right to operate cars on all streets not now occupied by railway lines. The company announced its intention of competing with the Union Traction Company, but Mr. Mack offered to lease the lines of the latter company and his proposition was today accepted.

CONTROLLER BUSY.

John B. Larkin Is Closely Watching the Municipal Pay Rolls—Warrants Held Up.

Controller John B. Larkin is scrutinizing the city payroll, and the warrants of several employes have been held up pending a strict inquiry into their claims on the city treasury. Among these is the warrant of William Forsythe, assistant superintendent of Highland park. Forsythe was appointed to the assistant superintendency of one of the South Side parks, but was transferred to Highland park and his salary raised to $1,500 per annum. He is said to be enjoying a residence in the West End at the expense of the city.

When asked whether the warrant of Elmer E. Siebert, superintendent of Highland park, would be held up, Controller Larkin said with a smile that he had not yet reached Siebert's warrant. Some of the employes of the department of public safety are also in the list.

ELECTIONS.

Office of the Monongahela Water Company,
Pittsburgh, Pa., April 21, 1902.

ELECTION—The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company will be held at the above office on Tuesday afternoon, May 6, 1902, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock, to elect a president and eight managers to serve for the ensuing year and attend to any other business that may come before the meeting.
MARTIN PRENTER, Secretary.

DETECTIVE AGENCY.

M'SWEENEY'S Interstate Detective Agency, 425 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa., transacts a general detective business. All communications strictly confidential.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS—Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, June 2, 1902, for the furnishing and erecting complete metallic ceilings in eight rooms, two halls, office and vestibule in the Whittier school building, Berths st., Mt. Washington. All proposals must be sealed and delivered to the secretary on or before above mentioned time. The school board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
STANLEY L. NEELY, Secretary,
701 Tradesmens building.

Office of County Controller,
Allegheny County, Pa.,
Pittsburgh, May 6, 1902.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m., Thursday, May 15, 1902, for furnishing material and painting the county bridges, viz.: No. 1, Aiken creek; Nos. 4 and 5, Big Sewickley creek; No. 1, Bull creek, north branch; Nos. 1, 14 and 15, Chartiers creek; Nos. 3, 7 and 10, Deer creek; No. 3, Deer creek, Little; No. 1, Valley run; Nos. 1 and No. 8, Kellers run; No. 1, Lobbs run; No. 1, Long run; Nos. 1 and 2, Millers run; No. 1, McLaughlins run; No. 4, Peters creek; Nos. 4 and 5, Pine creek; No. 4, Plum creek; No. 1, Robinson run; No. 5, Sewickley creek; No. 3, Sewickley creek, Little; Nos. 2 and 8, Streets run; No. 1, Squaw run; Nos. 1 and 2, Thompsons run; Nos. 2 and 5, Turtle creek; No. 1, Whisky run.

Bidders must bid for each bridge separately, but may, in addition, bid for the lot as a whole.

Bidders must visit and examine bridges before bidding.

Bids to be addressed to the county commissioners and indorsed "Proposals for Bridge Painting," and will be accompanied by a bidder's bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the amount of bid.

The party to whom the contract is awarded shall give bond, with two sufficient sureties, or the bond of a surety company, in double the amount of bid, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Specifications may be seen and forms of bond obtained at the county engineer's office.
W. E. THOMPSON,
County Controller.

Office of County Controller, Allegheny County, Pa.
Pittsburgh, May 6, 1902.

NOTICE TO CEMENT DEALERS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m., Thursday, May 15, 1902, for furnishing the cement required for the construction and repair of county structures for the ensuing season.

Any of the following brands of cement will be considered: Lehigh, New York and Rosendale and Hoffman's cement.

Amount needed, about 2,000 barrels.

There will also be about 1,000 barrels of Portland cement required, either Alsen's or Dyckerhoff Portland cement will be considered.

Bids must be by the barrel—in wood—loaded on cars at any railroad depot in the cities of Pittsburgh or Allegheny that the county engineer may direct. Each proposals to be accompanied by a bidder's bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the sum of $1,500.

The party to whom the contract is awarded shall give bond, with two sufficient sureties, or the bond of a surety company, in the sum of $3,000, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Specifications may be seen and forms of bond obtained at the county engineer's office.
W. E. THOMPSON,
County Controller.

Office of County Controller, Allegheny County, Pa.
Pittsburgh, May 6, 1902.

NOTICE TO PAINTERS.

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FOR SALE—One 12 H. P. Dayton gas engine, good condition, cheap.
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JUST ARRIVED—New lot of fine St. Andreasberg Roller canaries, the finest singers in the world; months of constant training being given to bring them to the desired degree of perfection; also new lot of Sea Hartz mountain canaries, guaranteed singers. Finest line of brass cages in the city at lowest prices. Send for catalogue. NEW YORK BIRD STORE, 615 Smithfield st.

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To be sold cheap.
Ingrain, Brussels and Velvets.
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SWEARS he sells at cost to quit business, 15,000 rolls wall paper. Reed, 409 Seventh ave.

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P. J. BYRNE,
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PACKING, STORAGE.
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LARGE WAGONS.
EXPERIENCED MEN
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And have second-hand carpets.

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PERSONAL—Massage, Turkish, all forms of baths. Sanitarium, 607 East Lacock st., Allegheny. Spring Garden cars to the door.

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SWEET CASTOR.

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LOST—A large sum of money is lost every week by people who have not learned that we loan money in any amount at 6 per cent on any good collateral security, such as pianos, diamonds, jewelry, clothing, etc. This is the lowest rate ever charged in Allegheny county. Market Street Loan Office, 214 Market st., near Third ave., Pittsburgh.

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LOST—Gold watch, between Penn ave. and Fifth ave., on Shady ave. Finder please return to 5 Shady ave. and receive reward.

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E. W. Harden's Daily New York Business Letter

FOREIGN STEEL BEYOND REACH OF AMERICANS

Prices So High That Consumers Must Depend Upon the Home Market.

GERMAN TRADE IMPROVED

Slight Changes Noted in Domestic Conditions — The Situation as Viewed by Experts—Two Big Trust Companies to Combine.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, May 5.—The present indications are that iron and steel manufacturers and consumers will have to depend almost exclusively upon the resources of this market for raw material, since it is becoming more and more difficult to make up deficiencies with imports. European manufacturers generally have advanced prices to a level that is almost prohibitive; to a level, at least, that reduces profits to such an insignificant margin as to make the financial success of steel and iron importations a dubious matter.

It is the verdict of all American manufacturers that the difficulties in the way of providing for their wants through foreign markets are so great as to cause them to forego early plans. The German trade lately has improved sharply, and producers there have followed the example of English manufacturers in advancing prices, so that the opportunities for engaging iron in the German markets have become very narrow. It is this state of things abroad that has prevented importations of iron and steel from reaching very large proportions. Several weeks ago American manufacturers hoped that considerable relief might be had through foreign sources, but this gets to be more and more out of the question.

Topmost Prices for Quick Delivery.

The week has opened with no essential change in the American situation. For immediate delivery the very topmost prices are obtaining for steel and iron. Large amounts of billets were sold last week by western producers for $30 a ton.

The demand for spot iron and steel continues to be very urgent. It arises mainly from manufacturers who underestimated the demand for finished products. Many of them who contracted for iron at earlier dates at prices ranging from $10.50 to $12, Birmingham, are not able to realize on their good fortune, for the reason that furnaces are unable to make prompt deliveries.

Meanwhile the supply of spot steel and iron grows scarcer and scarcer. A number of steel mills are declining new business for the reason that they have as much on their books as they can undertake to care for.

Steel rail manufacturers seen here today declared that there is no authority for the statement that rails are to be advanced to $29 and $30 a ton for next year's delivery. A majority of them believe that owing to the rise of raw material entering into the manufacture of rails, that product is worth more than prevailing prices, but there has been no concerted effort toward advancing the schedule. Many hundred tons of rails that have been ordered on this year's schedule of $28 a ton cannot be delivered until next year. It is believed that more steel rail business will be carried from this year into next than was carried from last year into this.

Situation Viewed By Experts.

The correspondent of Rogers, Brown & Co. writes from Philadelphia:

No perceptible change to report in prevailing conditions. Transportation companies have increased their facilities to some extent and shipments are handled more promptly, so that consignees do not now suffer as acutely as they have during the past 10 months. The foreign iron coming into the country has reduced stocks on the other side and stiffened prices.

On this side the effect has been wholesome, as it has given some of the large locomotive works and other buyers having time contracts iron at a time when their local furnaces, owing to spring washouts and other mishaps, could not furnish it.

Another correspondent, writing from Cincinnati, says:

During the past week some of those who have been inclined to withhold buying on account of the assurance that there would be plenty of $12 iron later in the year, have come into the market and covered their wants, and daring to wait longer, are in an unpleasant frame of mind, because they say they would have bought earlier at lower prices had they not been induced to defer by the promises made them.

Trust Companies to Unite.

It is learned on the best of authority that negotiations are under way for the consolidation of the Metropolitan Trust Company and the Atlantic Trust Company. The combined resources of the two institutions exceed $32,000,000. According to their statements of January 1, the last submitted to the banking department of the state of New York, the deposits of the Atlantic Trust Company aggregated $10,000,000, and those of the Metropolitan $16,000,000. If negotiations terminate successfully, the consolidated institution will do business under the name of the Metropolitan Trust Company.

E. W. HARDEN.

New York Curb Stocks.

Henry Sproul & Co. furnish the following closing bids on active stocks traded in on the "curb" or outside the New York stock exchange:

Amer. Can. com.	13¼	International Salt.	14
Do pref.	55	N. Ams. G. & S. pcl.	112
Am. H. & L. com.	7⅜	Northern Secur., 101	
Do pref.	43¼	N. Y. & N. E. Trans.	13⅝
Bay State Gas.	1¾	Otis Elevator com.	32½
Heil. Colum. Cop.	4½	Do pref.	100
Brock. Ferry Co.	18	Pitts. Bes. & L. E.	56
Electric Boat Co.	34	Royal R. P. pref.	105
Do pref.	48	Seab'd A. L. com.	28⅝
Elec. Vehl. com.	65¾	Do pref.	46½
Do pref.	121	Standard Oil.	635
Genl. Carriage.	5	Tennessee Copper.	11
Greene Cons. Cop.	29⅞	Union Copper.	3¾
Haw. Con. Co. com.	37	White Knob Cop.	23½
Do pref.	42	N. & W. Poco Bds.	52½
Standard Oil.	635		

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, May 5.—Stocks closed:

Atchison	78⅛	American Sugar.	126¾
Do preferred	97½	Do preferred.	118½
Boston & Albany.	263	Am. Tel. & Tel.	180½
Boston & Maine.	195	Dom. I. & S.	9
Boston Elevated.	163	N. E. G. & Coke.	31
N. Y., N. H. & H.	234	United Fruit.	107½
Fitchburg pfd.	140	U. S. Steel.	41
Union Pacific.	102¾	Do preferred.	91¼
Mexican Central.	27⅜		

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 reserve for redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $158,886,000; gold, $95,555,576; silver, $19,466,939; United States notes, $7,818,000; treasury notes of 1890, $98,452; national bank notes, $8,824,734; total receipts this day, $2,733,065; total receipts this month, $8,060,000; total receipts this year, $472,818,265; total expenditures this day, $2,665,000; total expenditures this month, $7,709,000; total expenditures this year, $466,324,000; deposits in national banks, $123,362,943.

NEWS FROM THE MINES

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—A Cripple Creek correspondent writes that plans are under way for driving a big drainage tunnel under the camp to unwater the mines and stop the present heavy pumping charges. The bore will cut Bull Hill at a depth of 3,000 feet. The estimated cost of the enterprise is $2,000,000, and the work will take seven or eight years. Money to carry it on is to be obtained by a system of taxation similar to that provided in the irrigation districts of California.

It is reported that the United States Reduction & Refining Company will seek to enjoin the Portland Company from using the Sloan patent in its new mill. The Portland people do not appear uneasy over the pending suit, claiming that the patent covers no weight, since the same device was in common use in western chlorination mills prior to Sloan getting a patent.

Weekly shipments from Chihuahua, Mexico, to Paso, soon will be increased from 6,000 to 10,000 tons.

Owing to the decline in copper, 160 men have been laid off from the Tip Top and Rowland. Both of these men were dropped from all the levels except the 1,050-foot level, where the ore values are not sufficient to return an adequate profit for mining and the present price of the red metal. There are still 650 men employed at the mine.

In the Mount Zirkel at Grand Encampment, Wyo., owned by Pittsburgh parties, a crosscut of 45 feet, and assays from 7 to 8 per cent copper, while streaks run as high as 30 to 40 per cent, the Hunter also has struck a large body of rich copper ore, and a good strike is reported in the Chicago venture.

A dispatch from Sumpter, Ore., says negotiations are pending for the incorporation of the Potosi and Smuggler groups into a larger company than was at first contemplated. The stock will be held by a syndicate of New York and Pittsburgh capitalists.

New York men are negotiating for the Calumet at Stockton, Utah. The group consists of 10 claims, on many 250-foot tunnels taken from the ore chute a few years ago, but work was abandoned at water level.

The new pay streak in the Quebec, Alamo district, Cripple Creek, is from 6 to 8 feet wide and carries values ranging from $100 to $600 a ton in free gold. Ten more stamps are to be added to the mill.

The Thunder Mountain Industrial Company of Chicago has bought the Anaconda group of eight claims at the mouth of West Fork, three miles below the Monarch property, for $10,000 and the property is to form the basis of a townsite after it has been exhausted for placer workings.

Four feet of ore milling $180 to the ton has been encountered in an upraise from No. 1 level of the Jumbo at Buffalo Pump, Ida. This is the richest ore struck in the camp.

The Metal Market.

The local market for tin was steady, with spot closing at $28 25@28 30, which is a slight recession in values. Business was slow. At London prices for tin fell off 2s 6d for spot and 5s for futures, with spot closing at £125 and futures at £126 12s 6d. Copper was somewhat irregular here, but closed with prices generally a shade better, with standard, spot or August, at $11 06@11 25; Lake, spot, $11 75@12 10; electrolytic, spot, $11 75@12, and casting, $11 50@11 75; the London copper market was 2s 6d higher, with spot and futures at £52 17s 6d. Lead ruled steady and unchanged here at $4 12½, and London is 3d lower at £11 12s 6d. Spelter was 2½ points lower here at $4 40. London was 2s 6d higher at £18 7s 6d. The local iron market was steady and unchanged, with pig iron warrants nominal: No. 1 foundry, northern, $19 @19 50; No. 2 foundry, northern, $18 50@19 00; No. 1 foundry, southern, $17 50@18 00; No. 1 foundry, southern soft, $17 50@18 00. The English markets were easy, with Glasgow at 53s 6d and Middlesboro at 48s 4½d.

Boston Copper Mining Stocks.

A. E. Masten & Co., 308 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, following closing bids of copper and mining stocks in Boston:

Adventure	21½	Old Colony	2
Arcadian	5	Parrot	25
Atlantic	28	Quincy	125
Bingham	35⅞	Osceola Island	2
Calumet	538	Tamarack	168
Centennial	17½	Utah	20
Cop. Range Con.	87½	U. S. Mining	20¾
Elm River	3¼	Victoria	4⅜
Franklin	10½	Wolverine	54
Mass	17¼	Winona	134
Mohawk	54	Wyandot	1
Michigan	9½	Phoenix	23⅛
Osceola	60⅞	Union Fruit	107⅜
Old Dominion	19	Santa Fe Copper	2⅞

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Mining stocks closed:

Adams Con	.20	Little Chief	.11
Alice	.45	Ontario	8.25
Breece	.50	Ophir	1.00
Brunswick Con	.11	Phoenix	.06
Comstock Tunnel	.05½	Potosi	.20
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.45	Savage	.12
Deadwood Terra	.15	Sierra Nevada	.30
Horn Silver	1.40	Small Hopes	.40
Iron Silver	.70	Standard	.335
Leadville Con	.05		

Supplementary New York Stocks.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Sales.	STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Close.
100	Am. Ag. Chem.	27	27	27
1,200	Am. Bicycle	7	6⅞	7
700	Do preferred	22⅜	20⅝	22
500	Am. Dist Tel.	41	39	41
800	Am. O. Twine	55½	54	55
100	Am. Linseed Oil	24½	24½	24½
100	Am. Malting	6¾	6¼	6¾
200	Am. Snuff	96	95½	95½
400	Do preferred	96	95¾	96
100	Am. Wool pfd.	77	77	77
700	Brunswick	12½	12¼	12¼
700	Chicago Ter. Tran.	20	19½	20
2,200	Do preferred	37¼	36	37
3,400	Chicago Un. Trac.	20¾	20	20¼
800	Con. Tobacco pfd.	119⅝	119	119½
800	Corn Products	33⅜	33	33⅜
800	D. & R. G.	42⅝	42	42
1,200	Do preferred	91	90⅜	91
800	Dist. of Am.	9¼	9	9⅛
1,000	Do preferred	40	39½	40
200	Hocking Valley	83	82	83
900	Do preferred	91	90¾	91
100	Internat. Pump	53	53	53
100	Do preferred	91	91	91
800	Kanawha & Mich.	41	40	41
100	K. C. Ft. S. & M. p.	74½	74½	74½
1,100	K. C. Southern	26	25	26
2,800	Do preferred	58	56⅞	58
200	Met. sub. 1st ins. p.	115¾	115	115¾
4,800	Mexican National	18⅝	17⅞	18⅜
1,600	Do preferred	73	71⅝	73
1,700	M. S. P. & S. S. M.	57¼	56½	57
800	Do preferred	121½	120½	121¼
200	Nash. & Chattanooga	103	102	103
200	N. Y. Airbrake	150	150	150¾
300	Rubber Goods	21¾	20	21¾
100	P. R. R. cash	153⅜	153⅜	153⅜
100	Third Avenue	130	130	130
200	Twin City R.	119¾	119	119
600	U. Bag & Paper	15½	15	15⅜
100	Do preferred	82½	82½	82½
300	U. S. C. I. Pipe	12	10⅝	12
200	Do preferred	45	44	44
2,000	Va. Car. Chem.	73	71⅝	73
1,500	W. Elec. & Mfg.	215	205	210

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Butter—Receipts, 6,389 pkgs; market active and firm; state dairy, 20@22c; state creamery, 21@23½c; renovated, 18@21½c; factory, 18@20c; imitation creamery, 19@22c. Cheese—Receipts, 1,143 pkgs; market firm; state full cream, small early make, fancy colored and white, 13@13½c; full cream, large fall make, fancy colored and white, 12@12½c. Eggs—Receipts, 18,804 pkgs; market weak; state and Pennsylvania, 17@17½c; western at mark, 16½@17½c.

BALTIMORE, May 5.—Butter steady, unchanged; fancy imitation, 20@21c; fancy creamery, 23@24c; fancy ladle, 19@20c; fancy roll, 20@21c; good roll, 18@19c; store packed, 18@20c. Eggs firm, unchanged; fresh, 16½@17c. Cheese steady, unchanged; large, 11½@12c; medium, 12@12¼c; small, 12¼@12¾c.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Butter steady; creameries, 18@21½c; dairies, 17@20c. Cheese unchanged; twins, 12½@12¾c; dailies, 13c; young Americas, 13@13½c. Eggs steady; good demand; extra western creamery, 24c; do nearby prints, 25c. Eggs firm, good demand, fresh, nearby, 18c; do western, 16½@16½c; do southern, 15c; do southern, 15@15½c. Cheese firm and higher; New York full creams, fancy small, 13¼@13½c; do, fair to choice, 12½@13c.

ELGIN, ILL., May 5.—Butter—Unchanged in price. Four thousand pounds were offered today, but later were withdrawn unsold. The market was 22c, the same as last week. The sales of the week were 640,000 pounds.

POLICE WERE EASY.

Nineteen Men Escaped from Officers Who Made a Raid on Hibernian Hall.

While making a raid on a crap game in Hibernian hall at No. 509 Wylie avenue at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon nine of the inmates made their escape by jumping out of the second-story window into Wylie avenue. Inspector Fred Will and two officers, Charles Bostwick and John Hedges, captured 16 men. They were taken to the Central police station on charges of gambling.

The hall in which the game was in progress is occupied by the local division of the structural ironworkers. The hall room was filled with men when Inspector Will appeared. He placed men at the door and never suspected that any attempt would be made to escape through the windows. He announced that everyone in the room was under arrest. Then there was a rush. Several men mounted the window sills and leaped to the pavement. They landed with little difficulty, and this encouraged others to jump.

There was a general scramble and excitement to get to the windows. None of the men were injured in leaping to the pavement. While Officer Hodges made an attempt to catch one of the jumpers 19 men escaped through the door he left unguarded.

The 16 men captured will be arraigned this morning before Magistrate McKenna.

FIGHT EXPECTED.

Mrs. Mary C. Delafield May Not Accept Estimate of the Board of Viewers.

The board of viewers on the Mary C. Delafield property, condemned by the city as a part of the site for the filtration plant, made its report yesterday morning to Chief Clerk L. L. Dilworth of the bureau of viewers. Mrs. Delafield is awarded $110,200.75 for a fraction over 40 acres. This is about $800 less than she would have received had she accepted the offer of the city at $2,500 an acre. W. A. Blakely, assistant city solicitor, was given the report to file with the United States circuit court, which appointed the board of viewers. It is believed that she will take the case to the United States circuit court of appeals.

The city took possession of the property two years ago and gave an indemnifying bond in the sum of $250,000 furnished by the Fidelity Title and Trust Company. When asked whether he would pay the purchase price of the property Controller John B. Larkin said he would rule on the matter when it is presented to him.

The Treasury and the Banks.

NEW YORK, May 5.—(Special.)—Total payment by government to New York banks Saturday, $2,862,000. Payment by banks to government: $3,334,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $442,000, paid by banks to government. Total net payment by banks to government since Friday, $32,000 against $105,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago. No payments were made at Pacific coast assay offices.

Speculation Assumes Healthier Tone

STOCK MARKET FLURRY ONLY A SMALL AFFAIR

Dealing in Spectacular Issues Confined Within Comparatively Small Limits.

THREE FIRMS GO UNDER

Market Recovers From Nervousness, and in Late Rally Many Losses Were Almost Wiped Out—Support at the Critical Moment.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, May 5.—The disturbance and anxiety which were felt in the financial world this morning were much relieved before the close of the day on the stock exchange. It was known before the stock market opened that the hopes entertained on Saturday of securing means to tide over the firms threatened with embarassment had failed, and there was nothing to do for these houses but to announce their inability to meet their contracts. In two cases the failures were fully expected, but the third came as something of a surprise. There was heavy liquidation on the stock exchange when they were announced, but the effective support offered the general market checked the indiscriminate liquidation and induced more sober reflections.

There is no doubt there was considerable distrust felt of the fabric of credits generally, owing to the ignorance of the extent to which the collapse of the Webb-Meyer stocks had involved others. The development in those stocks in themselves was recognized to be not of first importance. The collapse of their prices naturally reduced the basis of credits which had been acquired on the fictitious and manipulative valuation, but it did not appear that the money market had been used in taking out these credits.

Trouble Was in Small Area.

Neither had the dazzling rise in the prices for these securities attracted any great speculative following. The trouble was thus localized within a comparatively small circle of immediate participants in the speculation. This was soon demonstrated by the movement of the general market and the absence of financial trouble in other quarters.

There was the fear this morning that the results must be faced of similar operations and even of manipulative advances in standard railroad stocks; but the readiness with which offerings were absorbed quieted the nervous excitement and induced some buying back of stock by hasty sellers. In fact, the day's net losses are found to be quite insignificant as a rule, and not a few important stocks closed higher than Saturday.

The reports of copious rains in the southwest and the effective breaking of the drouth conditions which have kept weak anxiety regarding the crops was a material aid to the recovery. The persistent upward course of Louisville & Nashville was a sustaining influence. Rumors were renewed of a combination of this road with the Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville.

Anthracite Strike a Factor.

The movement for the advance was not followed up, however, with any degree of vigor. The prospect of a strike on the part of the anthracite miners and the stringent condition of the money market would amply account for a repression of speculation. As a matter of fact, the active liquidation of the first hour accounted for nearly one-half of the day's total dealings. Money loaned as high as 20 per cent and receded to 6 per cent only after the principal demand had been met. There can be no doubt the discrimination emphasized against collateral and the unfavorable disposition developed among money lenders toward the recent indiscriminate tendency of the speculation were factors in the money stringency. The squeezing-out process along this line is viewed with satisfaction. The knowledge that credits are very liberally expanded at present and that the rather meager cash reserves are subject to heavy demands has caused real anxiety to be felt from the reckless speculation indulged in in some quarters. The curbing of this tendency by the money-lenders on whose resources it is absolutely dependent is seen to make for financial health.

Some of the speculative bonds were weak under forced liquidation, but the market recovered and became irregular in sympathy with stocks. Total sales par value, $4,030,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

WALL STREET FEATURES.

Total sales 761,200 shares.

Three firms which dealt heavily in Webb-Meyer stocks announce inability to meet contracts.

Call money touches 20 per cent, but recedes later to 6 per cent.

Good rains in wheat country proved excellent offset to depressing features.

Strike of anthracite miners an adverse influence.

United States Steel common closed 40⅞.

United States Steel preferred closed 91¼.

NEW YORK CLOSING STOCKS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	109½	L. & N. unified 4s	102⅞
Do coupon	109½	Mex. Central 4s	84
Do 3s, reg.	108¾	Do 1st inc.	32¼
Do coupon	108¾	M. & St. L. 4s	104⅞
Do new 4s, reg.	137⅜	M. K. & T. 4s	94½
Do coupon	137⅜	Do 2ds	81
Do old 4s, reg.	111¼	N. Y. C. 1sts	104½
Do coupon	111¾	Do gen. 3½s	100½
Do 5s, reg.	103¾	N. & W. gen. 6s	130½
Do coupon	104¼	North. Pac. 4s	105⅝
Atch. gen. 4s	103	Do 3s	77
Do adj. 4s	93	N. & W. con. 4s	75⅜
B. & O. 4s	102¾	Reading gen. 4s	99¾
Do 3½s	95½	Rock Island 4s	91⅜
Can. So. 2ds	107⅝	St. L. & S. F. 4s	99
Canada So. 2ds	108	St. L. South. 1sts	98¼
Cent. of Ga. 5s	109¾	Do 2ds	85½
Do 1st inc.	88¾	St. P. & A. P. 4s	91¼
C. & A. 4s	98½	Southern Pac. 4s	85¾
C. & A. 3½s	84	Southern Ry. 5s	123
C., B. & Q. r. 4s	95⅞	Tex. & Pac. 1sts	121
C., M. & St. P. g. 4s	114½	U. P. L. & W. 4s	81
C., M. & St. P. 5s	120	Union Pacific 4s	106
C., R. I. & P. 4s	112	Do conv. 4s	104¼
C., C., C. & St. L. g. 4s	104⅜	Wabash 1sts	118½
Chicago Ter. 4s	88¾	Do 2ds	93½
Col. & South. 4s	93¾	Do deb. B	70¾
Do 4s, R. G. 4s	104⅞	West Shore 4s	114
Erie prior lien 4s	100¼	W. & L. E. 4s	93½
Do gen. 4s	87⅜	Wis. Central 4s	94
F. W. & D. C. 1sts	114	Con. Tobacco 4s	65
Hock. Val. 4½s	111½		

*Offered.

Whisky.

CINCINNATI, O., May 5.—Whisky firm, $1.26.

NEW YORK PRICES.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
27800	A., T. & S. F.	78¾	79	78	78⅝
2500	Do preferred	97⅝	97⅝	97¼	97½
	Am. Cotton Oil.	52	53	51	52
	Do preferred.				98
20400	Am. Sugar Ref.	127½	128¼	126¼	127⅝
6400	Am. Locomotive.	32	32	31	31⅝
2800	Do preferred.	92	92¾	91¼	92¼
2000	Am. Car Found.	30¾	30¾	29¼	30
600	Do preferred.	89½	89¼	88¾	88¾
	American Can.				12¾
	Do preferred.				85
1400	Anal. Copper.	66	68⅛	65¾	65⅝
500	Ana. Con. Mining	111¾	112	110½	111
2500	Am. Sm. & Ref.	44¼	44⅜	43	44⅜
1800	Do preferred.	95½	95½	95	94½
	American Ice.	18⅛	18⅜	18⅛	18¼
	Do preferred.	62¾	63½	61¾	62
7100	B. & O.	106⅝	107	106	106¾
	Do preferred.				95
7400	Brooklyn R. T.	65⅝	66⅞	64⅜	66¼
2600	Canadian Pacific	124⅝	125	122⅝	123¼
9300	Chesapeake & O.	27⅜	28¼	26⅞	27¾
1900	Con. Gas.	222½	223½	222½	222½
800	C., C., C. & St. L.	104½	104⅝	103¾	103¾
3100	Chicago & Ohio.	46½	46⅝	46	46¼
1700	Chicago & Alton	35½	36	35¼	35⅝
400	Do preferred.	75½	75½	75½	75½
8500	C. I. & L.	72	74⅜	71	74
1200	Chicago & North.	260	260	255	257
17400	Col. Fuel & I.	102⅜	103	100⅝	102⅝
2800	Col. Southern.	29½	29⅝	28½	29
100	Do 1st pfd.	72	72	72	71½
1800	Do 2d pfd.	42¾	43	41	42¾
5000	D., L. & W.	279	279	278½	279
4500	Dela. & Hudson.	173	174	171	173½
2300	Erie.	38½	38⅜	37½	38⅛
1900	Do 1st pfd.	68⅛	68½	68	68
2800	Do 2d pfd.	53	53½	53	52⅝
600	General Electric.	323	323	321	321½
1500	Illinois Central.	152½	152⅝	150⅜	151
2400	Iowa Central.	45½	46	44⅜	44¾
400	Do preferred.	84	85	84	84
500	Internat. Paper.	21	21	20½	20
400	Do preferred.	75¾	75½	72½	73⅝
	*Internat. Power.				90
200	L. E. & W.	65½	65¼	65	65¼
	Do preferred.				120
33500	Louis. & Nash.	132	133⅝	131	133½
14900	Manhattan.	132¾	132¾	130⅝	131⅜
15700	Missouri Pacific.	98⅜	99¼	98⅜	99⅛
4500	M. K. & T. pfd.	55¾	56	55¾	55⅝
200	Metropolitan.	147	147	145¾	146¾
2000	Mex. Central.	28	28¼	27⅝	27¾
2100	National Lead.	19	19	18¼	18⅞
	Do preferred.				87
200	National Biscuit.	49½	49½	49½	49
	Do preferred.	108	108	107	107
100	N. Y. Central.	158½	159	157½	158⅝
	N. J. Central.				188
6500	N. Y., O. & W.	32¾	33	32½	32⅝
2100	Norfolk & West.	57	57⅝	57	57⅜
	Do preferred.				89
2000	N. American Co.	122	123	119	121¼
1900	P. C. C. & St. L.	102⅞	103⅜	102⅜	103⅜
1200	Pacific Mail.	41	41	38½	39
	Pullman.				255
1200	Pressed S. Car.	44½	45¾	44½	45
700	Do preferred.	85¾	85¾	83½	83¾
30800	*Penn. R. R.	149½	150	148¾	149
	P., C. C. & St. L.	89	92½	89	92
	Railway Spring.	30	31	30	30
	Do preferred.				84½
99300	Reading.	63⅜	64¼	62¾	63½
2400	Do 1st pfd.	82¾	83½	83	83
17700	Do 2nd pfd.	68¼	68⅝	67½	68⅜
1200	Rock Island.	173⅝	175	173⅜	174¾
1400	Republic Iron.	18	18	17¾	18
1100	Do preferred.	73½	73½	72¾	73
1000	St. L. & S. F.	67¾	68	67⅜	68
	Do 1st pfd.	85	85	83	83½
2700	Do 2nd pfd.	71	72	70½	71⅜
31100	Southern Pacific.	65¾	65¾	64½	65½
31100	Southern Railway.	35¾	36	35¼	35⅝
2400	Do preferred.	95⅜	95⅝	94⅝	95⅛
43100	St. Paul.	169¼	169⅝	168	169½
900	St. L. & S. F.	27½	27½	27	26⅝
300	Do preferred.	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝
14900	Tenn. Coal & I.	68¾	68¾	65½	67⅝
4900	Texas & Pacific	41¾	41⅝	40¾	41
1700	Toledo, St. L. & W.	21¾	21¾	21¼	21⅜
2500	Do preferred.	37¾	37⅝	36⅝	37¼
33700	U. S. Steel.	41⅛	41⅜	40⅝	40⅞
16200	Do preferred.	91	91⅜	90⅝	91⅛
42700	Union Pacific.	102	103¼	101¾	102⅝
2100	Do preferred.	87	87¼	86⅝	87
100	U. S. Rubber.	18½	18½	16⅝	16⅝
3200	U. S. Leather.	13⅛	13⅛	12¾	12⅝
	Do preferred.	87½	88	86¼	85¾
5500	Wabash.	25¾	26⅜	25¼	26⅛
8300	Do preferred.	42¾	45	42¾	45
1000	W. U. Tel.	91	91¾	91	91¾
1100	W. & L. E.	21½	21⅝	20⅝	21⅜
	Do 1st pfd.	63	63	61	62½
300	Do 2nd pfd.	35	35	35	35
4000	Wheeling & L. E.	25¾	26¼	24¾	25¼
300	Do preferred.	47¾	47½	47¼	47½
	U. S. Cast I. P.	11	12	10⅝	11⅜
	Kanawha & Mich	44	44	44	43½
	Kanawha & Mich	40¾	41	40	40⅝

*Ex-dividend. Total sales, 761,200 shares.

Electric Stocks.

BOSTON, MASS., May 5.—Electric stocks closed:

Mass. Electric.	41¾	General Electric.	320
Do preferred.	67	West. Electric.	167

The Live Stock Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CENTRAL LIVE STOCK YARDS.
Monday, May 5, 1902.
STOCK ON SALE.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
J. B. Huff & Co.	5	5	3
S. B. Hedges & Co.	9	7	4½
McCall, Rowlen & Newburn	27	9	9
Tolts Commission Co.	7	3	
W. & R. Brinkman	13	7	8½
L. Dyer & Co.	12	7	5½
F. M. Lafferty & Co.	1	2	2½
T. P. Orr & Roessing		1	
J. Neely & Co.	10	7	
M. Huffman	3		
L. Lowenstein & Co.	2		
F. A. Schmitz & Bro.	5		
Frohm	1	5	
Yelbrecht		1	
Isaac Ziegler	5	1	
Totals	105	50	33
Last week	824	40	18

SHIPMENTS.

Day.	New York. C	H	S.	Phila. C	H	S	Locals. C	H	S
Monday	11		1	3	13	39	21	3	
Tuesday	11	8	1	1	5	9	10	2	
Wednesday	9	6	1		5	8	9	1	
Thursday	20	2	2	23	3	4	8	2	4
Friday	5	3		3	3	4	3	2	
Sat. & Sun.	4	17	5	1	5	4	12	8	1
Totals	53	32	11	24	15	53	78	45	13
Last week	44	40	28		9	28	83	35	21

SALES.

Day.	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Monday	1,745	5,781	5,483
Tuesday		247	672
Wednesday	58	826	1,183
Thursday	50	899	1,007
Friday	3	591	1,850
Saturday	2	1,404	527
Totals	1,858	10,057	10,822
Last week	2,090	10,081	12,354

FREIGHT RATES.

Cities.	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
Boston	17	18	18	40
New York	17	18	18	30
Philadelp'a	15	16	16	28
Baltimore	14	15	15	27

Cattle.

There was quite a drop in prices today as compared with the close of last week. Many a sale with more decline in comparison with the ruling figures of last Monday. Receipts were heavy, amounting to 105 cars, and the market was dull and slow. Saturday's prices were cut from 15 to 25 cents a hundred, $6 85 being the top for extras, while tidy butcher stock ranged from $5 40 to $6 80. Extra, 1,450 to 1,600 pounds, $6 75@6 85; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 pounds, $6 35@6 60; good, 1,200 to 1,300 pounds, $6 05@6 30

Local Stocks Closed Steady After Several Sharp Fluctuations

FIRE PROOFING DIVIDEND TO BE INCREASED

Stock Was Raided Yesterday Supposedly to Pick Up Cheap Stock.

ELECTRICS BROKE SHARPLY

Westinghouse Airbrake and Switch and Signal Also Declined—Window Glass Active at a Fractional Loss—Steel Shares Firmer.

The market on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday was quite active, but very irregular, several sharp slumps and rallies, with an alleged raid thrown in, furnishing rather more than the usual amount of excitement for a time. Just what caused the various movements may never be precisely known, but undoubtedly sympathy with similar actions in the Wall street market was responsible for a goodly portion of them. This was especially true in the Westinghouse Electric and Airbrake, because they have been the centers of attraction to the bulls in Wall street for some time past and the locals have followed every move almost instantly. In New York Westinghouse Electric seconds opened yesterday $5 lower at $218 and almost immediately broke $10 to $205. Within a short time they rallied $7 to $212. On the local exchange they opened at 106½ and went straight up to 100¼, the lowest point since the recent boom started. Then they rallied and closed firmer at 105, a loss of $1 50 only for the day, 1,853 shares having changed hands. More was wanted at 105, but none offered under 105½. The firsts opened at 102½, a drop of 5½, but closed finally at 108, the same as last week and 107¼ was bid for more. Less than 200 shares came out on the break. Westinghouse Airbrake did not sell until after 12:30, when 285 shares came out in a short time at 182½@183, the close being steady at 183, a loss of $2. Union Switch & Signal common and the Westinghouse stock was $3 lower at 92 for 50 shares, with that price bid for more. The steel stocks, which are also listed in New York, sympathized with that market, but none suffered much. United States Steel common was the most active, selling nearly 1,000 shares within a range of ⅝, the low being 40¼. The close was at 41¼, with a good demand at 41. The preferred, on sales of less than 600 shares, closed with a gain of ¼ at 91½. Crucible common went off to 22⅛, but closed at 22¼, a loss of ⅛, but recovered and finished at 86¼, a loss of only ⅛. Sales of these stocks were small. Pressed Steel Car preferred, which had such a sharp advance last week, was $4 25 lower at 83½ for 25 shares, and that price was bid for regular lots later.

The initial trading of the day was in National Fire Proofing common, several hundred shares selling at 36½, Saturday's price. Near midday and toward the last half hour what was alleged to be a bear raid was inaugurated and the stock forced down to 34¾. At that price, however, good buying orders sprung up and the price rallied to 35, where it closed quite firm, the loss for the day being 1½. A director of the company is responsible for the statement that the stock will be advanced from a 1¼ to a 1¾ per cent quarterly dividend at Thursday's meeting. This means it will become a 7 per cent stock, the only common stock on the local exchange on such a basis. The director quoted also stated that the company has made a contract for its year's product of underground conduits at a big advance over previous prices, and that the company is piling enormous profits. The street has been full of rumors regarding a possible increase in the dividend rate, but nothing definite has heretofore been known. The director's statement was not an official announcement, but was made as a matter of fact to a friend in saying what action the board of directors had already decided upon. It is also possible that is soon as the new stock recently voted is all issued a stock or cash dividend of healthy proportions will then be declared. The bulls say the stock should go to 45 easily, which will only place it on a parity with other 7 per cent stocks on the local board. The preferred lost ⅝ at 40¾.

In the remainder of the list Window Glass common was the leader, over 1,200 shares selling. It closed about steady with a loss of ¼ at 61⅝. Pittsburgh Plate Glass was $2 50 lower at 150 at the close on small sales. Bonds were dull but steady to firm.

PITTSBURGH FEATURES.

Bank exchanges gained $140,822 91.

Sales Pittsburgh stock exchange 12,699 shares and $33,000 bonds.

Fire Proofing common raided. Closed at 35. Dividend to be increased to 7 per cent Thursday.

Westinghouse Electric firsts broke to 102½. Closed 108.

1,853 Westinghouse Electric seconds sold. Broke to 100½ and closed 105.

Window Glass declined ¼ to 61⅝ at close. Sales 1,225 shares.

Crucible Steel closed 22¼ and the preferred at 86¼.

Sales United States Steel 1,265 shares. Closed 41⅛.

United States Steel preferred closed at 91½. Sales 585 shares.

Union Switch and Signal was $3 off at 92, and Westinghouse Airbrake $2 lower at 183.

Bonds were dull.

THE PITTSBURGH STOCK EXCHANGE RECORD.

SALES AN DQUOTATIONS. MONDAY, MAY 5, 1902.

The public sales in detail were:

10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.

200 N. F. Proof. com. 36½
150 N. F. Proof. com. 36½
50 N. F. Proof. com. 36¾
20 N. F. Proof. com. 36¾
30 N. F. Proof. com. 36¾
8 West. Elec. 2nds.108½
50 West. Elec. 2nds.107½
50 West. Elec. 2nds.107¾
50 U. S. Steel com.. 41
50 U. S. Steel com.. 41⅛
50 U. S. Steel com.. 41⅛
10 U. S. Steel com.. 41¼
5 U. S. Steel com.. 41¼
100 U. S. Steel pfd.... 91
10 P. F. Proof. pfd.... 45¾
50 Pgh. Brew. pfd.. 45½
100 Std. Chain com.. 9⅛
50 Citizens. Nat Bk.110
50 Citizens. Nat Bk.110
10 Crucible Stl. pfd.. 86⅛
100 M. R. Coal com.. 13
50 Crucible Stl. com.. 22¼
32 Com. Nat. Bank..270
50 N. F. Proof. com. 41
50. Con. Ice com..... 15
100 A. W. Glass com.. 61¾
50 Pgh. Brew. com.. 26½
20 Pgh. Brew com.. 26⅞

10:30 a. m. to 12:30 a. m.

25 Penn. Ry..... 75
15 Crucible Stl. com.. 22¾
50 Crucible Stl. pfd.. 86
100 Crucible Stl. pfd.. 86
20 Crucible Stl. pfd.. 86
70 Crucible Stl. pfd.. 86¼
13 Crucible Stl. pfd.. 86
40 Crucible Stl. pfd.. 86
100 U. S. Steel com.. 41
50 U. S. Steel com.. 41
50 U. S. Steel com.. 41
50 U. S. Steel com.. 41
100 U. S. Steel com.. 40¾
100 U. S. Steel com.. 41⅛
50 U. S. Steel com.. 41
100 U. S. Steel com.. 41⅛
18 N. F. Proof. pfd.. 41
100 N. F. Proof. pfd. 40½
50 N. F. Proof. pfd. 40¾
50 N. F. Proof. pfd. 40¾
75 N. F. Proof. pfd. 40¾
100 Phila. Co. com.... 49¼
50 Crucible Stl. com.. 22¼
100 Crucible Stl. com.. 22¼
50 Crucible Stl. com.. 22¼
50 Crucible Stl. com.. 22¼
20 Crucible Stl. com.. 22¼
50 A. W. Glass com.. 61⅝
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TWO ITALIANS PASSED BAD COIN IN WILKINSBURG

Pleaded Guilty in United States Court to Counterfeiting Charge.

ONE DENIES COMPLICITY

Secret Service Officers and Chief of Police Tell How the Borough Was Flooded With Bogus Money—Boy Stole from Letters.

The May term of the United States court opened yesterday and Guiseppi Campagnia, Guiseppi Bellanti and Alfonzio Piazzi were placed on trial for having in their possession and passing counterfeit money. They were arrested last March in Wilkinsburg, and a search of Bellanti's room resulted in the finding of much counterfeit money. After the case had progressed for nearly three hours, Campagnia and Piazza withdrew their pleas of not guilty and entered one of guilty. The case was then rested and an argument will be had this morning as to Bellanti's guilt.

The first witness for the prosecution was Joseph Kessler, a police officer of Wilkinsburg. He testified that considerable counterfeit money was found in Bellanti's room.

Jacob Weiman testified that the defendants threw away a bundle which contained some of the counterfeit coin. Miss Elizabeth K. Norton testified that Piazzi passed a bad half-dollar on her. C. S. Hazlett also identified him as having passed a bad coin in his store.

F. M. Ross, chief of police of Wilkinsburg, testified that he had investigated the passing of the bad coin and had found a number of stores that the defendants had visited and passed the bad money. Capt. Walsh of the secret service testified that the money found upon the Italians by the Wilkinsburg police was all counterfeit. There were seven indictments against the defendants.

Christopher Koch, aged 14 years, of Johnstown, pleaded guilty to a charge of embezzling letters containing articles of value. He was employed as a special delivery mail messenger, and it is alleged that he took articles valued at $139 60. Judge Buffington said he would investigate the case and would give his decision on Saturday.

At the morning session little was done but the calling of the grand jury, of which Henry P. Shaner of New Castle was made foreman. During the day true bills were returned in the counterfeiting cases against Alfonzio Piazzi, Guiseppi Campagnia, Guiseppi Bellanti and Daniel W. Robinson. True bills were also returned against August J. Krashowitz and John Bochroie in a naturalization case; William G. Morgan for altering a silver certificate; Charles Nolan, alias Prof. Charles, for mailing an improper letter; Harry Selkiwitz for illegal distilling, Christopher Koch for embezzling letters.

MANY PLEADED GUILTY.

Minor Jail Cases Occupied the Opening Day in Criminal Court.

The opening of the criminal court yesterday was characterized by a number of pleas of guilty. Clarence Byers pleaded guilty to the larceny of $126, a diamond ring and a suit of clothes from George Walker. Byers and Walker were roommates at the home of Mrs. Minnie Haines of No. 26 Forty-eighth street. The theft was committed while Walker was at work. Byers having pried open his trunk and secured the money, etc. Byers was sentenced to the workhouse for one year.

James Fleming, John Buckley and James Coin admitted that they broke into the store of J. J. Sochotaff, 517 Wylie avenue, on March 21, and stole about $300 worth of cheap jewelry and notions. They were sent to the workhouse for two years each.

Henry Vaugh pleaded guilty of stealing chickens from the coops of Tucker Clark, D. O. Davis, John Huffler, B. G. McDowell and George S. Debolt, in Homestead. He was sentenced to serve one year and six months in the workhouse on each charge, the sentences to run concurrent.

Other pleas of guilty are as follows: Charles Armstrong, for defrauding H. Cunningham of East Pittsburgh out of $20 board bill, three months to the workhouse; George Wilson, larceny of a revolver, bicycle and bell from Joseph M. Sharp, 1416 Preble avenue, Allegheny, six months to the workhouse; W. Walmy, larceny of $100 from Alex Stabinski of 2212 Tustin street, six months to the workhouse; Joseph Ott, carrying concealed weapons, preferred by Harry Schmitt, four months to the workhouse; William M. Adlington, for shooting at Caroline Britton of Imperial, Pa., one year to the workhouse; E. T. Whittier, larceny of a quantity of pig iron from the Pittsburgh & Western railroad yards, three months to the workhouse; Roy Whittier and Daniel McAntee, indicted on the same charge, were acquitted.

Miss Cmdike was found guilty of the larceny of $99 85 from Joseph Hennan of Braddock and sentenced to the workhouse for six months. William Howard was found guilty of entering the house of Robert Johnson, 1203 Clark street, but sentence was not imposed. Howard attempted to prove an alibi. Frank Layton was found guilty of entering the building of Neal McGilligan of McKeesport.

Christian W. Rickley was on trial for embezzlement. Rickley is being prosecuted by Paul C. Dunlevy of Dunlevy & Bro., for the embezzlement of over $2,000. He has been employed as a collector by the prosecutor for the past nine years, but the embezzling of the funds extends back only to January 1, 1902.

ASSESSORS NEGLIGENT.

Many Let the Last Day Pass for Taking Out Registry Books.

Yesterday was the last day for the register assessors throughout the county to take their books from the county commissioners' office. Of the 380 assessors the following failed to take out their books:

First district, First ward; First district, Second ward; First district, Fourth ward; First district, Tenth ward; Eleventh district, Thirteenth ward; Second and Fourth districts, Fifteenth ward; Fifth and Sixth districts, Sixteenth ward; First, Second, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth and Ninth districts, Seventeenth ward; Sixth, Eleventh and Thirteenth districts, Nineteenth ward; Second, Third, Fourth and Ninth districts, Twentieth ward; Fifth and Seventh districts, Twenty-first ward; Sixth district, Twenty-third ward; Fourth and Eighth districts, Thirty-second ward, Thirty-third ward.

Allegheny—Third district, Third ward; Fifth and Seventh districts, Fifth ward; Second district, Ninth ward; First district, Tenth ward; Second, Third and Fourth districts, Eleventh ward.

Boroughs—Bridgeville, Cheswick, Second district, Crafton; Emsworth, Glenfield, First district, McKees Rocks; Mount Oliver, Munhall, Second district, North Braddock, Oakdale, Oakmont; Second ward, Turentum; Second district, Turtle Creek; Verona, Second and Fourth districts of Third ward, Wilkinsburg.

Townships—First district, Baldwin; Fifth district, Chartiers; First district, Collier; Fawn, Kilbuck, Marshall, Second and Eighth districts, Moon; North Fayette, Eighth district, Patton; Fifth district, Patton; Pine, Second district, Plum; Third district, Scott, Sewickley; Third and Fourth districts, South Fayette; Sterrett, First district, Stowe; First and Second districts, Versailles.

Grand Jury Returns.

The grand jury yesterday returned true bills against John Spevak and C. L. Orbach, George Koicum and John Spevak and C. L. Orbach, Michael Gecky and John Spevak and C. L. Orbach for libel, preferred by F. V. Rovnianek. The allegations in each case refer to the same charge. The prosecutor alleges that the defendants published in a newspaper called the "Slovats Amerike" certain false and malicious libel written in the Slavonic language. It is charged that the defendants published in their paper that the partners of the Elk Gold Mining Company had defrauded the Slavonic people out of much money by misrepresenting the true condition of the company's prospects. Also that they accused the prosecutor, through their paper, of misleading and deceiving the people by publishing false statements concerning the Hebrew Medical Company of Pittsburgh and called the prosecutor's paper a lying sheet.

Other bills were returned as follows:

True bills—Embezzlement, Thomas J. Burke; assault, Ollie Brown; assault and battery, Maggie Connors, Paul A. Clare, Owen Cruse, Wade Hoff, Thomas and David Jones (2), Mary Greuzlikowski, Frank Maina, William Rowland, Harry F. Schmidt; aggravated assault and battery, Lawrence Greslik, Emil Sparr; publishing, uttering and making use of false tax receipts, Rudolph Benjamin (2); misdemeanor, Harry Bedsworth, Valentine Bertsch, William Byers, Michael Cadden and Michael Dalton, Luke Davidson; false pretense, Elizabeth Bell; larceny, John Reckel, et al, George Baird, George Collins, George Daley, Daniel Hughes, Donald Davidson; carrying concealed weapons, Joseph Dementi.

Ignored bills—Assault and battery, E. Descallize, Nicholas Steiner; aggravated assault and battery, William Osterwald and William Anderson; felonious assault and battery, William Bateson; burglary, George Galiton; misdemeanor, Henson Biddle.

Today's Trial Lists.

Criminal court—Commonwealth vs. C. D. Little, Frank Strome, Robert Woods, Robert Butler, Dennis Collins, Charles Carey, Charles R. Davis, Fred Hines, W. H. Higgins, Edward Johnson, Joseph Lewis, Joseph Kurcharski, John Manning, Charles Mullin, two, Mary Mullin, two, Mike Mehall, Joseph McKulock, Joseph Visco, Gust Depero, John Robinson, James Taylor, John Thomas, Stani Schewicke, George Saxby, two, Mike Sambo, Mike Lenden, Dominick Cooley, Joe Korakula, Fred Bietcha.

Common pleas court No. 1—Bryan vs. First National bank of McKees Rocks, Elliott vs. Allegheny County Light Company, Bernheim vs. Stachle, Rose vs. Consolidated Traction Company, Hartel vs. Wolf et al, Caskey vs. Weldon, Carson vs. Mackin, Wylie vs. Seaner, Bodenbaugh vs. Bodenbaugh, Marshall vs. city of Allegheny.

Common pleas court No. 2—Kennedy vs. Wilson, Feney vs. B. & O. R. R. Co., Smyth vs. Hopp, Miller vs. McKeesport Connecting R. R. Co.

Common pleas court No. 3—Krueger vs. Nicosia, Brewer vs. M. Loan and Invest. Co., Hooper vs. P. & L. E. R. R. Co., Delaney vs. B. & O. R. R. Co., Hendrie vs. city of Allegheny, Keitler vs. Roth, Michel vs. Southern Tract. Co., Swaney et al. vs. city of Pittsburgh.

New Suits Filed.

New suits were entered as follows:

COMMON PLEAS NO. 1.

A. Platz—H. J. Hays.....Ex. att.
C. C. Herman—Thomas Cronin, et al....Ap.
J. M. Boyd, M. D.—Same.....Ap.
W. J. Blackwood—Mrs. M. Smith.....Ap.
Harry Hansel—H. E. Miller.....Ap.
H. K. Mueller—Charles H. Mueller Music Company.....Ex. att.
D. H. McConnel' & Co.—Ohio Butter Company.....Ap.
Frederick Wenslein—L. Schulenberg.....Ap.
W. L. B. Hays—A. Brode.....Ap.
American Lumber and Manufacturing Company—E. A. Smith.....Assp.
H. H. Francis—S. L. Gerberding.....Ap.
Same—Henry Grogan.....Ap.
Tradesmans National bank—F. M. Jones.....Sci. fa. rcv.
First National bank of New Kensington—J. S. Speer.....Assp.
Same—C. D. Hussey.....Ap.
L. L. Knox, et ux—Pennsylvania Co....Tres.
John P. McIntyre & Co.—Homer H. Swaney.....Assp.
Austin Nichols & Co.—The Carrow Co....Ap.

COMMON PLEAS NO. 2.

C. A. Jackson—Winston Allen.....Ap.
Fort Pitt Supply Co.—Frank M. Fisher....Ap.
James H. Miller—William Slider.....Ap.
John D. Biggert—James E. Boyle.....Ap.
M. R. Hay, use—H. D. Hann.....Ap.
Julius Kessler & Co.—A. W. Mitchell....Ap.
William Prescott—Henry Cruiser.....Ap.
Z. Gray—L. Kwallswasser.....Ap.
Booth & Flinn—John Peterman.....Ap.
Lewis Mattas—Harry Goldstein.....Ap.
George Gudish—Same.....Ap.
National Croatian society—Joseph Vinsko, et al.....Ap.
J. R. Taylor—J. A. Sharp.....Ap.
Robert Kerr—John Kerr.....Sci. fa. mtgs.
A. J. Deelez—W. H. Phillips.....Ap.
Philip Haselbach—Stoughton Decorating Company.....Ap.

COMMON PLEAS NO. 3.

R. and W. Jenkinson Company—Carrows Restaurant Company.....Ap.
David Hirsch, et al.—Same.....Ap.
Mrs. J. Russel—David G. Bealor.....Ap.
Ades Bros.—L. M. Eagye.....Ap.
George Updergraff & Son—Same.....Ap.
D. F. Weiss—E. E. McDonough & Co....Ap.
W. B. Knolle—Carrows Restaurant Co....Ap.
Joseph Schwatz—S. Frankel.....Ap.
The Bell Co.—George Blakeley.....Ap.
Mrs. Patrick Carr—City of McKeesport..Tres.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

Mrs. Patrick Carr sued McKeesport for $5,000 for injuries received by falling upon an icy pavement.

The will of Charles Maul of Knoxville leaves a $25,000 estate to his widow. Whitesell Bros. represent Mrs. Maul.

Execution attachments were issued by Julius and Chares H. Mueller against the Charles H. Mueller Music Company.

Ida Luideblad of Wilmerding filed a petition in bankruptcy. Her liabilities are $1,267 and assets $966. S. McNaughar & Son of Allegheny were discharged from bankruptcy.

A petition was filed by Samuel and Emma J. Roe for the adoption of Frank Ansell, minor child of Fred and Jessie Ansell. The father of the boy joins in the petition and it is said the mother is of unsound mind.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed by J. Henry Dixon and W. H. Dixon of Wilkinsburg. The firm owes $5,027 and has assets of $969. J. Henry Dixon has no debts and his assets are $750. William B. Dixon's liabilities are $701 and assets $50.

An affidvit of defense was filed in the case of G. Pasquienelli against the Pittsburgh & Morgantown Packet Company to recover $11 for a keg of sausage said to have been lost through transportation. The company says the plaintiff refused to accept the sausage and that he owes the defendant 25 cents freight.

A statement was filed in the case of Mrs. Ellen McDermott and Charles Davis against the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston Railroad Company for the death of their mother, Mrs. Mary Davis, who was killed at South Twenty-ninth street by an engine. It is alleged Mrs. McDermott is blind and cannot walk, having been dependent upon her mother for support.

The case of John Devlin against the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad Company for $10,000 damages is on trial in common pleas No. 3. The plaintiff claims he was shot in the back by Paul J. King, an officer in the employ of the defendant company at South Twenty-second street, July 30, 1900. The officer considered him a trespasser and Devlin claims the shooting was without provocation.

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THE WESTERN MARYLAND GOES TO THE FULLERS

Ordinance Selling Road to Wabash Ally Passes Baltimore Councils.

IT BENEFITS PITTSBURGH

Main Trunk Line Will Pass Through This City Over Connecting Link That Will Be Built From Here to Cumberland.

The Western Maryland railroad is now practically in the possession of the Fuller syndicate. The Baltimore city council last night passed the ordinance selling the city's interest in the railroad to the syndicate, which represents Wabash interests, to the Fullers for $8,751,270 45, which sum covers the obligations of the Western Maryland to the city. Mayor Hayes of Baltimore last night stated that the ordinance selling the railroad will be signed this morning.

With the Western Maryland controlled by the Wabash the connecting link between Pittsburgh and Cumberland will be built, and Pittsburgh will be located on the through trunk line of the Wabash railroad, which is allied with the Fuller syndicate. With the completion of the Wabash the new line across the continent will be opened and the Wabash will enter the fight for Pittsburgh's trade both east and west. For some time it had been rumored that the West Virginia Central railroad was to be the Wabash main line through from the west, but it was seen that it was impossible to obtain the Pittsburgh business to the seaboard by any roundabout connection. With the connecting link in operation the through trains will be operated via this city.

The Wabash railroad already has ordinances prepared, in which it will ask the right of way through Pittsburgh to Allegheny, and if secured a new bridge may be constructed across the Allegheny river.

The ordinance, selling the road to the syndicate, was passed in the second branch of the city council by a vote of 7 to 2, and immediately thereafter the first branch acquiesced in the action. The Fuller syndicate owns the controlling interest in the West Virginia Central and by the acquisition of the Western Maryland railroad, and an alliance with the Wabash system of the Goulds, a transcontinental line from west to east, with Baltimore as the seaboard outlet, is assured.

Until yesterday the chances of the Fullers' ultimate success were not particularly bright, and there might have been an indefinite delay in the council which might have thrown the road to any of the other three bidders—the Reading railroad, the Humbletons or the Varney syndicate.

Yesterday, however, George J. Gould sent a letter to Mayor Hayes, stating in most positive terms that the Wabash was allied with the Fuller syndicate and Baltimore would be made the tidewater terminal of the proposed trunk line. It was this communication that won over the doubting city solons and prompted all of the business organizations of Baltimore to assembly yesterday and pass resolutions indorsing the Fuller sale ordinances. The two men who opposed the passage of the ordinance in the second branch were Councilmen Venable and Lindeman.

There were three other bidders for the Western Maryland, as follows: The Varney syndicate, $10,100,000; the Reading company, $10,001,500, and the Humbleton-Cook syndicate, $9,250,000.

A NEW SUPERINTENDENT APPOINTED

J. R. HOWGATE COMES TO LOCOMOTIVE WORKS

E. B. Clark, After Long Service, Resigns to Take Charge of Rogers Plant.

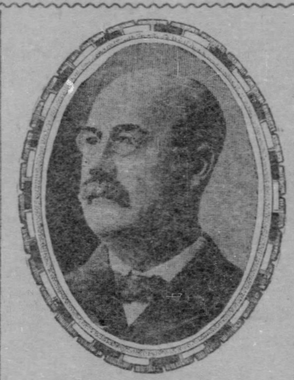
The Pittsburgh works of the American Locomotive Company will have a new superintendent after the middle of the month. Edward B. Clark, who has been superintendent of the plant since it entered the consolidation in June of last year, has resigned to become superintendent of the Rogers locomotive works at Paterson, N. J. The new superintendent of the local works will be J. R. Howgate, who leaves the position of assistant superintendent of the Schenectady plant to come to Pittsburgh.

Mr. Clark's resignaion becomes effective May 15, and he will take up his new duties June 1. He has been connected with the local company since 1889, starting his service here as draughtsman, and rising through the offices of chief draughtsman and mechanical engineer to his present office. Mr. Clark is only 37 years of age, but is considered one of the most thoroughly trained locomotive construction men in the country. He is a native of Susquehanna, Pa., and his first engineering work was with the Erie shops in that city.

The big plant in Beaver avenue, Allegheny, is rushed with orders now. Three more of the order of the 'Frisco system for 10 locomotives will be turned out shortly and large orders from the Lake Shore and the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroads are also among those being filled.

Electricity to Supplant Steam.

It is said that the officials of the Pennsylvania lines west have under contemplation the conversion of the Cincinnati & Muskingum Valley railroad into an electric line. This road taps a territory that is eminently fitted for such an arrangement which, it is believed, would give to the towns of Lancaster, Circleville, Zanesville and Washington Court House improved service. The expense of operating the motor cars is so much less than that of steam operation that a large local passenger business could be given far more attention than is possible under the present arrangement.



U. L. CROMLISH, General Freight Agent, Pittsburgh & Western Lines.

RAILROAD NOTES.

The executive offices of the Pennsylvania lines west will all be in the Union station this week.

General Manager Butler of the Lake Erie, Alliance & Wheeling, asserts that the Garfield-Morris syndicate will build a line from Phalanx to Lake Erie, despite reports to the contrary.

The Central Passenger association mileage books, sold in the year ended May 1, amounted in value to $9,000,000. These are the interchangeable books, good between Buffalo and Pittsburgh in the east and Chicago and St. Louis in the west.

The line of the Santa Fe Central, the New Mexico road being built by Pittsburghers, is now being graded from Santa Fe to Torrance. The work is to be completed by October 1. It furnishes a connection between the Rock Island and the Denver & Rio Grande. Later it will be extended to Albuquerque.

Clearing-Out Sale.

Entire stock of steam automobiles at a great sacrifice to build and make room for the celebrated Foster wagons; autos selling as low as $250. A fine Dosado, cost $1,500, at $850; will carry six passengers. Artzberger, 712 Cedar avenue, Allegheny.

SEVEN MEETINGS OF LOCAL B. & O. LINES

Several Changes in Directorate of P. & W. and Other Subsidiary Companies.

Annual meetings of four small Baltimore & Ohio lines were held in this city yesterday, as well as a special meeting of the board of the Pittsburgh & Western. Today at Fairmont the annual meetings of three more small lines will be held. The only Baltimore official attending these is Secretary C. W. Woolford.

The new general superintendent at Pittsburgh, L. G. Haas, and the new superintendent of the Pittsburgh division of the Baltimore & Ohio, S. Pemberton Hutchinson, were made directors of the Pittsburgh & Western, vice their predecessors, W. R. Woodford and T. J. English. Mr. Haas becomes a director also of the Berlin railroad, one of the small branch lines, succeeding J. Ross Torrance, resigned. No changes were made in the directorate of the Somerset & Cambria, the Salisbury railroad of the Ohio & Baltimore Short Line, all three of which are branches from the through divisions.

Today at Fairmont, W. Va., the West Virginia & Pennsylvania, the Pittsburgh & Fairmont Short Line, and the Monongahela River railroad companies will have their annual meetings. T. Fitzgerald, general superintendent of the Baltimore & Ohio lines east of the Ohio river, will succeed Thomas W. Fleming of Fairmont on the West Virginia & Pennsylvania board; F. A. Husted, superintendent at Grafton, will succeed Mr. Fleming on the Pittsburgh & Fairmont board, and C. W. Woolford will succeed Sprigg Camden on the Monongahela River railroad board.

Will Issue Shippers' Directory.

The Pittsburgh & Lake Erie freight department has in preparation a complete shippers' guide to industries located along its lines. The new directory will be in the printer's hands shortly and is expected to be ready for distribution in about a month. The value of the book will lie in the figures it will give in regard to the various industries, their products, capacity and addresses, all being specified.

QUAY WILL PAY RENT OF $50 A DAY FOR HOUSE

Making Ample Preparations for Contesting With Stone Machine for Control of Convention.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, PA., May 5.—Fifty dollars a day is the rental which Senator Quay agrees to pay for the use of the Dunott mansion for political quarters during his fight with the Stone administration for control of the Republican state convention. The house is a large three-story brick structure in Walnut street, near the river front, within easy reach of the leading hotels, the public departments on Capitol hill and the board of trade auditorium, where the Quayites will hold their caucus the night before the convention.

Quay and his sons, Curtin and Richard, and Senator Penrose, will occupy the house for not less than 10 days preceeding the convention, and it is probable they will come here the middle of May to take a hand in the Dauphin county primaries a week from next Saturday.

Telegrams were received today by many of the senator's friends in this city direct from Col. Quay himself at Washington, urging them to consult Senator Fox and Revenue Collector Hershey before committing themselves on the local contest. This shows that Quay is in earnest and that he means to get the Dauphin delegates, in spite of the combination of Stone appointees.

Hangs Himself in Jail.

FT. WAYNE, IND., May 5.—William Rabel, the young man who shot and fatally wounded his 18-year-old wife, Saturday afternoon, hanged himself in his jail cell. A rope was improvised from his blanket and attached to a water pipe. Rabel's wife died Sunday evening in the hospital.

Superior Court Arguments.

The following Allegheny county appeals were heard in the supreme court: Martin O'Rourke against Alphons Custodis Chimney Company, appellant, for personal injuries received; Jacob Kaufmann, appellant, against John W. Kirker, an action over property.

CAMPBELL'S

Furnishings for the Home

HOUSE-CLEANING reveals many an article that needs to be replaced—don't know just what you may need till you've taken this "inventory." Next and most important move is the selection of the right place to get these needed furnishings. Right here, we might say we've been furnishing homes complete for over a quarter of a century—doing it right, too. Our experience hitherto has resulted this year in the bringing together of the largest and most complete assortments we've ever handled. These facts coupled with **always low prices** *will convince the prospective buyer that a visit here will not be in vain.*

CARPETS.

Body Brussels Art Rugs—Over 100, in handsome floral and Persian centers, 9x12 feet — sell everywhere at $22.50. Our price $20.00

Royal Wilton Art Squares—19 patterns of the regular $35.00 grade—all-over patterns and medallion centers, 9x12 feet. This week, each..... $29.50

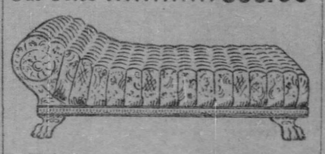
Axminster Carpets—Smith's $1.50 quality; noted for their beauty and wear; 15 patterns on sale at, per yard..... $1.10

Tapestry Brussels—27 patterns of Smith's and Sanford's regular 90c grade; suitable for any room; some have borders to match, at, per yard 75c

VERY SPECIAL—50 rolls fine Jap. Mattings in beautiful new carpet patterns, in blues and greens; worth $12.00 for a 40-yard roll. Our price, per roll $8.50

FURNITURE.

Bedroom Suites of finest quartered oak, all hand carved, piano polished; the latest style shaped bases, extra large fancy French plate mirrors—cannot be duplicated under $75.00. Our Price $55.00



This handsome Velour Couch, full spring edge; 3 rows of tufts; best steel construction; solid oak frame; worth $10.00. Special at $7.98

Genuine Leather Couch—Diamond tufted, hair filled; best steel springs; heavy ruffle around base; claw feet; worth $37.50, for only..... $30.00

Go-Carts—Full reed body, rattan filled, nicely upholstered; equipped with parasol and best steel enameled gear and rubber tire wheels—worth $20.00. Our price $16.00

CURTAIN DEPT.

Table Oil Cloth—40 pieces, 1¼ yards wide; regular 25c quality, at, per yard 12½c

Wash Plush for draperies and sofa pillows; lot of 10 pieces of $1.00 grade, at, per yard 48c

Furniture Damask—50 inches wide; worth 50c, at, per yard 25c

Cable Net Lace Curtains—100 pairs; only one pattern; plain center with heavy Irish point effect border; worth $4.50; today, per pair..... $1.95

Bamboo Beaded Portieres—Lot of $1.50 ones, at, each 98c

VERY SPECIAL IN WALL PAPER—500 bolts regular 5c white back Wall Paper, pretty florals in light and dark effects, at, per bolt 2½c

Specials FROM THE Housefurnishing Dept.

Incandescent Gas Lamp, complete, ready for use; 39c value for 20c

Adjustable Steel Pin Stretcher, good strong frame, steel clamps; $2.50 value for $1.98

Wood Frame Wringer, 10-inch hard rubber rolls; $2 value, for $1.39

¾ Garden Hose 3-ply and positively guaranteed; 12½c value, for, per foot 8c

"Blizzard" 2-quart Ice Cream Freezer, regular $2.25 value for $1.75

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That Will Create a Sensation.

Domestics are most Staple Merchandise and sold by most stores at the same prices all the year around. Not so here, however. As we buy, so we sell. When a manufacturer closes out his surplus stock to us at a big price concession, that concession goes to our customers. Hence such offers as the following:

36-IN. "FRUIT OF THE LOOM" MUSLINS, 7½c YD.
SPLENDID 9-4 UNBLEACHED SHEETINGS, 12½c YD.
ROUND THREAD 10-4 BLEACHED SHEETINGS, 18c YD.
FINE BLEACHED PILLOW TUBING, 12½c YD.

Bleached Sheetings—100 pieces fine Bleached Sheetings—finished soft for the needle—at..... 6¼c yd

Hemmed Sheets—10,000 Hemmed Sheets—ready for use—one-quarter bleached—size 81x90 in.—worth 50c, at..... 39c ea

Pillow Cases—5,000 Pillow Cases—Hemmed ready for use—sizes 36x42 in. and 36x45 in.—at..... 5c ea

Hemstitched Pillow Cases—Ready for use—at 15c each, or 2 for 25c

Sale 25c Hose for 15c

Men's, Women's and Children's.

The manufacturer who closed out the goods to us at a big sacrifice is the loser. You are the gainer.

The Men's Hose consisting of fancy striped and figured Half Hose, with Black, Blue, Purple and Red backgrounds.
The Women's Stockings including fancy striped, polka dot and fancy figured Fast Color Hose.
The Misses' and Boys' Extra Strong Ribbed Warranted Fast Black Stockings, with double toe and heel—no better school stockings made.
All At 15c

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"THE BIG STORE"

A Waist Sale

Extraordinary!

300 dozen Women's Smart and Swell White and Colored Shirt Waists—made to sell for $1.50, $1.75, $2 and even $2.25, On sale today at only... 98c

An overstocked manufacturer closed these Waists out to us at a big sacrifice—that's how we are able to sell them so cheap. Among the goods are:

Women's $1.50 Colored Madras Waists, at 98c.
Women's $2.00 fine Tissue Gingham Waists, at 98c.
Women's $1.75 plain colored French Gingham Waists, at 98c.
Women's $1.50 fine White Lawn Waists, tucked or hemstitched, at 98c.
Women's $2.00 fine All-Over Embroidery Front Waists, at 98c.
Women's $2.25 attractive India Lawn Waists with rows of embroidery inserting, at 98c.
Women's $1.75 White Lawn Waists, lace trimmed, at 98c.

☞ Above Waists, come buttoned in the front or back—with long or short sleeve effect.

For the Little Ones

We have some especially good things today, as you can see from the following:

Dresses—Several pretty styles of Children's Wash Dresses — made of Gingham or Dimity—in light or dark colors—sizes 1 to 6 years—at..... 50c

Caps—An immense line of Babies' fine Lawn or Silk Wash Caps—all with wide ties—at $5 down to..... 25c

Hats—Children's Straw Crown, Lawn or Corded Wash Hats—in all the latest novelties—at $3.98 down to..... 25c

Reefers—Babies' Pique Reefers with large Embroidered Sailor Collars — also Capes — all colors—at..... 98c

Dresses—Babies' nice Cambric or Nainsook Dresses—yoke of embroidery, lace or tucking—tucked skirts—at..... 50c

Afghans—Babies' Pique Afghans or Parasol Covers—immense assortment to choose from at $7.50 down to..... 50c

Women's Wash Petticoats—Made of Percale or Seersucker—light or dark colors—at..... 50c

Women's Latest Oxfords

At a Saving of $1.25 Pair.

In order to quickly introduce our latest models of Women's Summer "Low Cuts," we shall offer choice today from 6 styles of our $4 Oxford Ties at $2.75 pair. They are made of the finest imported Ideal Kid and Patent Leather—with turn and hand-welt-soles—close and extension edges—Louis XV., Military and Cuban heels — your pick and fit today at.... $2.75

That Half Price Curtain Purchase Attracting Crowds

Not surprising, either, when you consider that this lucky deal places the latest and loveliest Nottingham, Arabian, Irish Point, Saxony Brussels and Renaissance Curtains before you at a trifle more than Half their actual value.

$1.50 Lace Curtains—Pretty Scotch Lace Double-Thread Curtains—fast edges—also Ruffled Muslin Curtains in plain dots, fancy stripes and colors—at only..... 75c Pr

$3.50 Ruffled Curtains—A fine array of English Ruffled Bobbinet and Fish Net Curtains—beautiful Irish Point effects—50 to 60 in. wide—Choice for..... $1.75 Pair

$5 Lace Curtains—Splendid quality Lace Curtains—in Renaissance, Brussels and Irish Point effects—3½ and 4 yds. long—54 and 60-in. wide—at only..... $2.50 Pair

Real Lace Curtains—A charming assortment of Real Irish Point, Brussels Net, Swiss and Point de Calais Curtains—suitable for Parlor, Sitting Room or Dining Room—full length and width—worth $9, at..... $4.50 Pair

$12 Lace Curtains—Handsome Real Irish Point, Antique, Cluny, Renaissance, Brussels and Arabian Lace Curtains—made on beautiful nets—scroll patterns—detached figures — plain centers — wide borders—choice for only..... $6.00 Pair

"Bonne Femme" Curtains—The latest creations—hand-made "Bonne Femme" Curtains—superb designs—especially suitable for Parlor or Library—at $7.50, $8.25, $12.75 and up to $22.50 Pair.

Snow Flake Portieres—Those soft, light, airy Summer Portieres—prettily fringed—choice designs—in all colors—3 yds. long—the $4.50 quality for $3—the $2.50 quality for..... $1.50 Pair

Tapestry Portieres—Splendid heavy Reversible Tapestry Portieres—nicely fringed top and bottom—Ottoman weaves in Empire and Oriental effects—all colors—worth $4, at only..... $2.50 Pair

Tapestry Portieres—Fine Mercerized Tapestry Portieres—Silk fringed or corded—in solid, two-toned or combination colors—worth up to $7.50, at..... $3.95 Pair

Curtain Swisses—Nice 36-in. White Curtain Swisses, Scrims and Muslins—also Figured Silkolines — in the latest Spring designs and colors—worth 15c, at..... 8c YD

Shades and Awnings at a Saving of ⅓—This saving is due to the fact of our having placed immense orders before the recent advance of 30%. Drop us a postal and let us give you an estimate.

Bamboo Awnings for porches, as follows: 5x7 ft., at 55c—8x8 ft., at 75c—8x8 ft., at $1.00—10x8 ft., at $1.25—12x8 ft., at $1.50.

Adjustable Extension Awnings for windows and doors—2 ft. 10 in. to 3 ft. 6 in. Extension, at $2.75—4 ft. 2 in. to 6 ft. 6 in. Extension, at $3.75.